

A 'Gay Old Dog'



(Gayle Studio Photo)  
**HAPPY NEW YEAR** in reverse, is the warning illustrated by Salty, schnauzer owned by Sportsman Bob Howard. Salty feels that wearing an icebag is a pretty silly way to start off the New Year. His icebag adornment is a warning to one and all that excessive elbow bending does have an unpleasant aftermath. According to Salty, "Hi!" sounds better than "Hi!"

H-Bomb War Not Affected by Stockpiles

**BULGANIN**  
MOSCOW — Soviet Premier Nikolai Bulganin warned today H-bomb warfare is possible even though both East and West possess these weapons of mass destruction. The Soviet Premier sounded his warning in a question and answer interview with the American Television Co.

He said the possibility of thermonuclear war between East and West was not "automatically excluded" by the fact that both sides possess atomic and hydrogen bombs.

IN HIS REPLIES to a series of questions submitted by the agency, Bulganin expressed hope for peace in the new year. But, he warned: "It is wrong to assert that inasmuch as East and West possess hydrogen weapons the possibility of a thermonuclear war is automatically excluded."

"Assertions of this kind can in fact lull the vigilance of peoples who support the elimination of the threat of an atomic war."

**BULGANIN ADDED:** "Of course, the fact that under present conditions atomic and hydrogen weapons cannot be used with impunity has some deterrent effect on those circles which would like to unleash war, using weapons of mass annihilation."

**HARRY OLIVER**  
the old  
**Mirage Salesman**  
tells this—  
(This column is published exclusively in the only daily newspaper in Desert County—H. O.)

In the past few years we in California have celebrated numerous centennial's. A hundred years ago the whole world was flabbergasted by the stories of California's Gold excitement.

History making days for sure. Fifty years ago the world was again to read of California.

1906 the tragic San Francisco earthquake . . . The Colorado River broke through its barriers and poured its full force destroying for all time hundreds of acres of fertile land. (The dramatic birth of The Salton Sea).

But 1906 was not all bad . . . Death Valley Scotty's dash for a speed record was the biggest news of the country. From Los Angeles to Chicago by train, 2,244 1/2 miles in forty-four hours and forty-four minutes, this Desert Rat was the momentary hero of all the land . . . and the trip only cost him seventy thousand dollars.

Years later the record was beat by a 'flying machine.'

ONE FOR THE ROAD TO BE OFFERED TONIGHT—COFFEE

"Have one for the road." This will be the greeting of all Palm Springs bartenders at 1:45 a.m., Sunday, when all taverns in town will offer customers free cups of coffee before they leave.

This policy was agreed upon in a meeting between Police Chief August G. Kettmann and tavern owners.

No liberties will be allowed with the 2 a.m. closing law, and all laws will be strictly enforced.

Extra men will be assigned to handle the large crowds expected in the Village, Kettmann said. He urged all persons who have need for transportation tonight to employ taxicabs or use non-drinking members of the party as drivers.

Downtown Tram Not Yet Ready Says Aldridge

Tram service in the Village, proposed by E. A. Aldridge, owner of Raffles restaurant, and approved by city council November 9 by a 4-3 vote, has not yet reached the mechanical planning stage, according to Aldridge.

The service, planned to include four open sided tram buses on a ten-minute schedule throughout the Village, has been held from operation because an engineer for the tram manufacturing company has not been assigned to the project.

Aldridge, in acquiring the permit to run the slow-speed vehicles through Palm Springs, agreed to meet stringent safety requirements set up by council. The requirements necessitated changes in available trams, to the extent that modified ones would be redesigned and engineered.

Aldridge said he has been continually rebuffed in his attempts to have an engineer placed on the job. The company has told Aldridge that they have previously contracted orders. They said when their schedule catches up, they will start on the trams for the Village.

Aldridge said he is afraid the season will be over and his opportunity to operate the trams on money made through their operation will be passed till next year. The permit made no time limit, but did have the provision that it could be revoked on 30-day notice from the council.

Koseff Said to be Looking for Backing

Jerry Koseff, the promoter who promised the citizens of Cabazon a lustrous, booming town if they would vote to incorporate a town that would include a million dollar resort hotel and its economy based on draw poker parlors was up to a day or so frantically scrambling for finances with which to carry those promises out.

Now that the citizens did vote to incorporate and did hand to Jerry Koseff a carte blanche monopoly to operate a poker parlor in Cabazon, it was learned that former operators of bingo games in Venice, California, and operators of poker parlors in Gardena, through a Los Angeles real estate brokerage firm, offered an interest to a local man recently who turned the deal down cold.

**WALTER MELROSE**, well-known here, here, today admitted that a real estate firm who claimed to represent the outlawed bingo operators of Venice and poker parlor operators in Gardena had in fact approached him seeking to "sell" an interest in the gambling syndicate in Cabazon.

"I informed the real estate firm that I was positively not interested and under no circumstances," declared Walter Melrose. "I have not heard from them since nor do I know Jerry Koseff."

Koseff yesterday named three associates in the proposed gambling resort venture: Sierra Development Co., a corporation owned by Mr. and Mrs. David Seymour with offices in Beverly Hills, a full partner; and Maurice La Voie, a real estate broker of Beverly Hills, limited partner.

Juveniles Held for Possession of Beer

Two 17-year-old youths were taken into custody by Sgt. John Herrera at 1 a.m., today, after they were discovered with two six-can cartons of beer, which they had just purchased.

The boys are to appear before Sgt. Ted Greene, juvenile officer, on Tuesday.

Inside of the Sun

Cathedral City Area Business Association begins a contest for the first baby born in 1956. See details and list of prizes on page 14.

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Matusow Accused of Betrayal

Drug Store Burglars Get \$700 in Cash

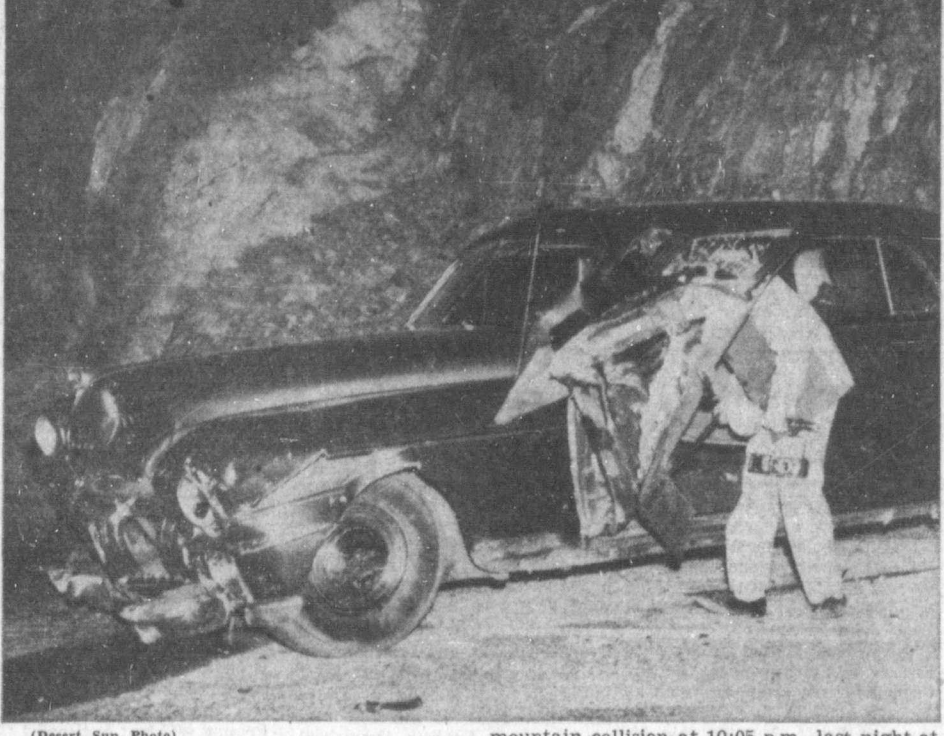
**Narcotics Untouched in First Major Raid in Months**  
First major store burglary in several months occurred last night at the Palm Springs Drug store, 160 North Palm Canyon Drive.

Only thing discovered missing besides \$700 in cash, following a preliminary check by owner George Morris, was a bottle containing approximately 750 tablets of dexedrine.

Other narcotics were not touched, although in the same location as the dexedrine.

Entry was made through a small window in the rear of the establishment, where the kitchen of the coffee shop is located.

The burglary was discovered by R. A. "Tony" Monty, when he arrived about 7 a.m. to open his Tony's and Marilyn's Grill.



(Desert Sun Photo)  
**HENRY WINTER**, driver of the car above, was cited for speeding following a one-vehicle mountain collision at 10:05 p.m., last night at Windy Point. Fred Weigel of The Desert Sun inspects damage caused to the vehicle.

Paid by Russ to Recant is U.S. Charge

**Senate Probers Issue Blistering Statement Today**  
WASHINGTON — Senate investigators said today that Harvey Matusow, the turn-about witness, was paid by the Communists to recant his testimony against alleged Reds in a far-reaching plot to obstruct justice.

In doing so, they said, the 29-year-old author of "False Witness" had "betrayed his own country to the Communist conspiracy."

The charges were made in a Senate Internal Security Subcommittee report calling for prosecution of attorney Nathan Witt, publisher Albert E. Kahn and "others" for conspiring to block the investigation and conviction of Communist party members.

The report also recommended disbarment of four New York lawyers it did not name.

The Subcommittee's blistering 104-page report said Matusow was lying when he swore that he had lied in earlier testimony that linked 244 persons with Communism.

His case, it said, was "a collective product of the Communist conspiracy."

"Its immediate goal was to secure new trials in the cases of Communist leaders who had been convicted," the report said. "Its broader and longer range goals were to discredit government witnesses, the Department of Justice, the courts, the FBI and Congressional investigating committees, and thus to immobilize the prosecution and investigation of the Communist conspiracy."

German Officers to Train in U.S.

WASHINGTON — The first group of German officers to train in this country under the new military assistance agreement with West Germany will arrive Monday.

The group of 27 German officers, ranging in rank from captain to lieutenant colonel, will arrive at Idlewild Airport in New York, the Defense Department said yesterday. They will receive training at military posts in this country from several weeks to several months.

Cite Motorist After Accident

Carl Gordon Springstead, 177 North Indian Avenue, was cited today for driving without due caution following an accident at 3:23 a.m., in which his truck overturned in the 1500 block of South Palm Canyon Drive.

Springstead, traveling north, was forced to swerve to the right to avoid a vehicle coming in the opposite lane, and lost control of the truck when it struck the soft shoulder, according to Officer Matt Calac, who investigated the accident.

Hubnappers Strike Twice in Village

Hubnappers struck twice yesterday, taking two caps from the car of Mrs. Ted Charlton, 1107 Calle de Marcia, and two from the car of Lester G. Richman, 726 North Indian Avenue.

Charge Thousands of Polio Shots Now Going to Waste

By MICHAEL J. O'NEILL  
United Press Staff Correspondent  
WASHINGTON — Thousands of Salk polio shots went to waste in the 1955 mass inoculation program, it was learned today.

State health authorities revealed in a nationwide United Press survey that enough serum to inoculate more than 35,000 children became "stale" before it was used. They blamed distribution mixups, the safety testing snafu this Summer and other factors.

Most of this vaccine was earmarked for the school program of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

More than 11,000 additional doses, it was learned, also have been returned to manufacturers since the start of the government's voluntary distribution program.

Dr. G. Foard McGinness, vaccine director of the foundation, said he estimated vaccine losses this year wouldn't run more than 20,000 shots. But, he said even if the 35,000 figure is correct, it represents a "pretty good record."

"With all the clearing and re-clearing of vaccine this Summer," he said, "it's surprising a lot more shots didn't become outdated and go unused."

At present, vaccine is declared outdated if it has not been used within a six-month period. In the

President's Statement Gives U.S. Cold War Advantage

WASHINGTON — President Eisenhower's newest pledge to work for the "peaceful liberation" of Iron Countries has put Moscow on the defensive, administration officials said today.

They said the current advantage in the East-West propaganda fight over the satellites clearly shifted to the United States in less than a week.

The American-Russian fight was influenced by Christmas messages from Mr. Eisenhower and Secretary of State John Foster Dulles to Iron Curtain nations. The messages, broadcast the day before Christmas, expressed hope and conviction that the satellites would escape bondage and join the free nations.

In an unusual outburst, Soviet Party boss Nikita Khrushchev on Thursday assailed Mr. Eisenhower personally for "crude interference" in the affairs of Communist nations in a way "quite incompatible with the Geneva spirit."

Mr. Eisenhower at Key West, Fla., Friday approved a statement pointedly aimed at Khrushchev's attack. It said the "spirit of Geneva" involved no relaxing of America's "peaceful purpose . . . to achieve liberty and justice for the oppressed peoples of the world."

The statement, read by White House Press Secretary James C. Hagerty, said "the peaceful liberation of the captive peoples has been, is, and, until success is achieved, will continue to be major goal of United States foreign policy."

The Voice of America immediately broadcast the statement to Russia and Eastern Europe.

The President, Dulles and other high administration leaders were reported highly pleased that Khrushchev has reacted—and so quickly—to the Christmas messages. His reaction, experts said, would get the American attitude on the satellites far more publicity behind the Iron Curtain than this country had ever hoped to achieve.

Khrushchev's quick crack at Mr. Eisenhower also indicated the extreme sensitivity the Russian leaders have on the satellite question.

Some experts believed the Red chieftains, who have been talking so much lately about "colonialism and imperialism," may have a "guilt complex" about their iron-fisted control over the Iron Curtain countries.

Purchase of Race Track Site Begun

Announcement was made today of the organizing of a holding company representing the Palm Springs Turf Club, to purchase 340 acres of land for use as a thoroughbred race track.

It is the same site as originally proposed, located southeast of Palm Springs, with frontage on Highway 111.

Name of the new company is Palm Springs Capital Co. Purchase price is estimated at \$850,000.

The Turf Club is currently engaged in a legal battle seeking reversal of a ruling by State Horse Race Board which denied the group a license to operate a track.

Keep Headlights on to Remind of Safety, Advice

COLUMBUS, Ohio — John A. Miller, local auto dealer, today suggested that all motorists drive with their headlights on during the daylight hours today, Sunday and Monday.

Not only should this serve as a visible safety reminder, Miller said, but it might also suggest it would be nice to be alive in 1956, since funeral processions sometimes use the "headlight on" technique.

COLUMNIST SAYS IKE TO RESIGN FOR TV POSITION

INDIANAPOLIS — President Eisenhower will resign and become a television network commentator from his Gettysburg home, a columnist for the Indianapolis Times said today.

Mrs. Dorothy Stephens, radio-television columnist for the Scripps-Howard newspaper, wrote in a forecast of 1956 that the report about Mr. Eisenhower "comes from a responsible source in New York."

Mrs. Stephens is the wife of Times managing editor J. Boyd Stephens.

PRESS STOPPERS

**BULLETIN UP** — Motorists, watched by traffic authorities working in one of the most widespread safety campaigns on record, reduced fatal accidents sharply from the previous holiday weekend in the early hours of the New Year's holiday. Ned H. Dearborn, president of the National Safety Council, called the results "very encouraging," but warned the big test on the effectiveness of safety proposals and measures will come tonight. A United Press count starting at 6 p.m. Friday showed 49 deaths in holiday accidents, a rate under three per hour up to nearly mid-afternoon Saturday. At a comparable time during Christmas holidays, 114 deaths had been reported.

**SAIGON UP** — The Indochinese Communists have arrested the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Hanoi, a South Viet Nam newspaper reported today.

**KEY WEST, Fla. UP** — Mrs. Eisenhower joined the President today at his vacation headquarters here for the New Year's holiday. The First Lady flew down from Washington, accompanied by her mother,

The Weather

Desert area forecast — Partly cloudy north portion and mostly clear south portion today through Sunday. Few showers Antelope Valley northward today. Windy at times today. Slightly cooler northern valleys tonight.

High here yesterday was 69, and low was 29.



## Aguilar Bound Over for Trial in Assault Case

Albert Aguilar, 28, of Palm Springs was bound over to Superior Court to answer to a charge of rape as a result of an alleged assault on a 58-year-old Long Beach widow last Sunday morning while she was in her room at a local hotel.

The defendant, an ex-convict, admitted the charges and pleaded guilty during arraignment proceedings in Judge Eugene Theriault's Palm Springs Municipal District Court. He was bound over for preliminary hearing in Riverside Superior Court at a time to be set by that court.

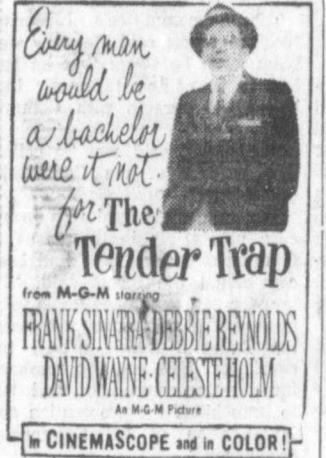
Under \$2500 bail and still in custody, Aguilar would await the recommendation of the probation department of California if he pleaded guilty in Superior Court.

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**LOVELY LYNNE DAVIS** last night started a limited singing engagement at Bob and Andrea Howard's popular Howard Manor rendezvous, the Manor Room. She will also lead a capacity crowd in singing "Auld Lang Syne" at the magic hour of midnight New Year's Eve.

## Police in Chino Walk Out on Job

CHINO — Six members of the Police Department and 12 reserve officers remained off the job today in protest against the dismissal of Chief John R. Murray.

The walkout started Friday after Murray was dismissed by the City Council for not complying with its request for him to reside within the city limits. Murray said his daughter's health would be in danger if the family moved from the higher elevation of nearby Alta Loma.

Mayor Howard Cattle said only five officers remained on duty but city officials had made arrangements with the sheriff's office and the California Highway Patrol for assistance over the New Year's holiday.

**CITY OFFICES TO CLOSE**  
Palm Springs City offices will be closed Monday, January 2, because of the New Year's holiday.

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## Indianapolis Girl Young Miss USA

HOLLYWOOD — Shirley Spencer, 13, Indianapolis, reigned today as Miss Young America of 1956.

The pretty blonde, blue-eyed daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman R. Kem, was crowned last night following final judging at Ciro's nightclub. She was selected from among seven finalists throughout the nation.

The judges were comprised of Hollywood actresses and fashion experts.

The six other finalists were: Louisa McDonald, 10, Las Vegas, Nev.; Susan Kay Nielsen, 9, Salt Lake City; Gayle Lord-Osborn, 7, San Antonio; Judy Short, 10, Birmingham, Ala.; Rosalie Gronau, 13, St. Louis; and Nancy Jeanne Madera, 7, Pittsburgh, Pa.

The average Wisconsin farm family spent 20 per cent more for gasoline, oil and other petroleum fuels in 1954 than in 1949.

**U.S. Weather**  
(By UNITED PRESS)  
Temperatures and precipitation for 24 hours ending at 4:30 a.m.

	High	Low	Prec.
Albuquerque	44	27	.01
Atlanta	47	26	T.
Bakersfield	60	39	T.
Boston	33	14	
Brownsville	73	40	
Chicago	23	18	
Denver	47	36	
Detroit	28	20	T.
El Centro	70	46	
Fairbanks	9	-12	T.
Fresno	54	43	.18
Holena	14	3	
Kansas City	41	26	
Los Angeles	58	43	
Miami	73	54	
Minneapolis	23	10	
New Orleans	69	38	
New York	32	16	
Oakland	52	40	
Oklahoma City	41	24	
Phoenix	78	55	
Pittsburgh	41	38	.05
Red Bluff	41	38	.14
Salt Lake City	45	32	T.
San Francisco	49	43	
Seattle	42	24	
Stockton	46	42	.28
Tucson	75	52	
Washington	38	23	
Yuma	72	40	

## Chiang Kai-shek Pledges War to Finish on Reds

TAIPEI — Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek today pledged to fight the Red Chinese and Russian Communists "to the bitter end."

"We spurn to co-exist with the traitor and the enemy," the leader of Nationalist China said in a New Year's message.

"As the saying goes, 'We would rather have broken pieces of jade than a piece of unimpaired tile,'" the Generalissimo said.

Chiang predicted the year 1956 would be a crucial one in the Nationalists' fight against Communism.

"Greater difficulties and dangers await us this year 1956 than in any of the past six years," he said.

To overcome those difficulties, Chiang added, "We cannot rely on military strength alone. We must draw our strength from self-confidence and undaunted spirit."

## Communists Accuse Nationalists of War

TOKYO — Communist China today accused the Nationalists of stepping up air and naval raids along the South China coast.

Reports from Taipei yesterday said the Communists were bombarding both ends of the Nationalist off-shore island chain in what appeared to be a prelude to the invasion of Matsu or Quemoy.

A Peiping Radio broadcast, monitored in London, said the Nationalist planes "intruded over Tungkun Island, Santau, Shacheng and Swatow and strafed and bombed fishing boats and merchant ships on the sea and also villages on the coast."

It claimed that Red anti-aircraft guns downed five of the raiders and damaged another 10.

Peiping said that Nationalist Chinese Naval vessels also were active, intercepting merchant ships and fishing boats "and killing fishermen."

Both Nationalist air planes and warships also were carrying on extensive maneuvers, the Red broadcast said.

The Nationalist Air Force "incessantly" held exercises over Quemoy and Matsu, Peiping said.

## KCMJ Receives Award for Aid in Civil Defense

Palm Springs' Civil Defense Director R. W. Peterson announced this week that KCMJ has been selected as one of 1300 broadcasting stations in the United States to receive a special award from Federal Civil Defense Administration and the Air Force in recognition of public service through participation in Conelrad emergency broadcasting.

The award, a Certificate of Commendation, is individually inscribed and signed by Donald A. Quarles, Air Force Secretary; Val Peterson, Federal Civil Defense Administrator; and Federal Communications Commission Chairman George C. McConaughy.

Nationwide, the participating Conelrad radio stations have voluntarily invested more than \$2,000,000 and an untold number of engineering man-hours to make and keep the system operative.

KCMJ, as local Conelrad station, has been commended previously for unusually efficient operation of its emergency broadcasting system.

## Chessman Accepts Suite of 2 Rooms at Alcatraz

SAN FRANCISCO — Death row author-convict Caryl Chessman today accepted a temporary transfer from San Quentin to a two-room "suite" at Alcatraz to facilitate his long legal battle to escape the gas chamber.

The transfer offer came yesterday from Federal Judge Louis E.

Goodman in response to Chessman's complaints that he was unable to hold private conferences with his attorney, George T. Davis. Goodman said the Alcatraz cell would assure Chessman of the long-demanded privacy Chessman said he was not getting at the state prison.

However, Goodman denied Chessman's demand that the federal judge disqualify himself from the convict's pending habeas corpus proceedings on the ground the judge was prejudiced against him. Goodman said Chessman's petition did not offer any facts to prove he was biased.

## Churchill Raps Russ Peace Talk

LONDON — Sir Winston Churchill accused the Russians today of giving a strange twist to their talk of peaceful coexistence by provoking an arms race in the Middle East.

In his annual New Year's message to the conservative Primrose League, of which he is Grand Master, Churchill said the New Year presented "many difficulties, but I am confident that we shall surmount them."

"The Soviet leaders have done their best to provoke an arms race in the Middle East," he said. "This is a strange interpretation of peaceful co-existence."

## From Page 1—MORE ABOUT POLIO

ported 10,000 doses became outdated because they were so widely distributed they couldn't be shifted to areas where they were needed before the expiration date.

Another factor was the long period when the government held up distribution of all vaccine for re-checking. By the time re-checked, vaccine got back into the inoculation pipeline, it was very close to expiring.

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# Special Lectures Start Tuesday

At 8 p.m. the Desert Chest-sports begin its series for men and women. Tuesday Dr. W. H. Nash, naturalist, will give a series of "Geological Roundups" following on "Museum Series." These of interest to young and old science fans. "If of the becoming order structure Dr. S.

## He Lines Joins Sales Staff

ist to coast among the fabulous jazz in the privacy of the hando Valley home, has disposed of his agency in Hollywood. The sales staff of the Music Company emphasis is being placed on instruments and problems, particularly the beginner. Countless times has the streets of Palm the Al Malaikah, has vast knowledge of the two-beat or pro the men who made is expected to add the convenience of the who has no more the clue to identify a wishes to hear.

**Sense Test**  
tally ill  
EY, Calif. (AP)—A new al test has been developed "horse sense" in patients. Frank X. Barron, an research psychologist at city of California. He test of "ego strength," says is roughly equivalent sense." The test was free psychiatrists from persons unlikely to psychotherapy. person describes a person gh level of ego strength usually in good physical is a strong sense of real- issues feelings of personal and vitality, expresses a morality and lack of prejudice, is emotionally and spontaneous, and is ly intelligent."



**JACK DAILEY**, well known song stylist will entertain in the Palm Springs Biltmore's Garden Room over the New Year's weekend.

## 66 More Business Concerns Recorded Here in 7 Years

"There are 66 more business concerns in Palm Springs today than there were seven years ago," says R. G. Duncan, regional manager of the Los Angeles office of Dunn & Bradstreet. Basing his facts upon the figures in the current November Reference Book, Duncan points out that in 1948, 260 businesses were listed by Dunn & Bradstreet; today there are 326 enterprises—a 25 per cent increase. The Reference Book, incidentally, lists only manufacturers, wholesalers, retailers, and some service companies, such as laundries and gasoline service stations. Duncan pointed out that for the

**Advertise for Bids on County Highway**  
SACRAMENTO (AP)—The state Division of Highways said today it plans to advertise for bids next week on construction of 1.9 miles of access road in Riverside County. The division said \$375,000 has been budgeted for the project between C Avenue and Graham Street. The work consists of grading a 64-foot roadbed and construction of a March Air Force Base overcrossing and off-ramp.

**THOUSAND PALMS**  
**THE QUIET VILLAGE**  
**MORE SUNSHINE**

# Unedited

By BILL RASHALL

I'm not a brave man nor do I profess to be of the finest moral fiber. Just ordinary if you please, and thankful that it is so.

All of this because of the avalanche of letters and burning telephone calls commending your reporter and The Desert Sun on the column yours truly wrote regarding the pitiful telephone service as furnished by the California Water and Telephone Company.

Many of these letters and phone calls commended me for being brave of all things. "That it was just about time somebody did something," and more and more.

All but two of the letters and one telephone call of the many received were in commendation. One critical missive accused me of failing to get the telephone company's side of the story.

**HEREWITH I WISH** to announce to all that I have tried repeatedly and most recently to get some statement regarding the growth of the telephone company; demand for its service; installation of additional equipment and as much information as possible. I am still waiting. I have asked and asked but it has not been forthcoming. What was contained in my original blast at the telephone service was gained from personal experience of more than 12 years right here in Palm Springs. It was gained from the comments of hundreds of people. I merely reported the feeling of a wide cross-section of our populace.

**ONE OF THE BEST** letters received came from W. H. Smith, president of the Coachella Valley Savings and Loan Association. He has had extensive experience with two public utility concerns, one of them a telephone company, and as an employee. Particularly, he states the following which is quoted: "When I was in the utility business we used to fear the demands of the State Public Utilities Commission. When they ordered a cer-

tain thing done, it was done immediately."

Once several years ago, either the Chamber of Commerce or the City demanded that the California State Public Utility Commission hold a hearing regarding the service of the local phone company. It was held alright. But most of the town was closed with Summer coming on and few persons showed up at the hearing. As a result, nothing was ever done or accomplished.

So I will say, as Bill Smith implied, that the State Public Utility commission be invited down again, but not later than February of this year or perhaps as early in March.

And then all of you who have said such nice things about the telephone column your reporter wrote be present at the meeting. Voice your complaints. Voice them now by calling your City Manager Robert W. Pearson. If enough of you call, as you did The Desert Sun, something may happen. What? I do not know. Maybe this same situation is existent in other communities, but I am almost sure, it cannot be as bad as the service we are getting here.

**ONE THING I MUST** report and that is that we do not want another manager. Bill Nash is beloved by all who know him. So are the majority of his employees. If he is given the tools and the man power,

er, maybe in a year from now the telephone company may be able to catch up. Who knows?

The telephone company apparently isn't saying anything or hasn't had a chance to yet. But whatever that utility has to say, believe you me — it will be published!

**AS THIS YEAR** comes to a close, take a moment or two with me and review the events of the last 12 months. Most important of all is that building permits for Palm Springs almost hit the \$10,000,000 mark. City Fathers are placing in our laps for approval or disapproval a little more than three and one-half million dollars in bonds with the money from a portion of these bonds to pay for the purchase of land and the construction thereon of a municipal golf course. A sewage line system for the city is also planned, if the bonds are voted. These are two of the most important items, including of course the paving of McCallum Way through the reservation and on to the airport.

I believe that Councilman Jerry Nathanson's suggestion that this street be lined with palm trees is an excellent one. Air travel to this city is increasing by leaps and bounds. It will be the first impression of persons riding into the heart of the city and they say that first impressions are lasting ones.

**THERE WERE MORE** new homes erected this past 12 months than ever before in our history and this record will be shattered, I predict, in the next 12 months to come. And a great Chief of Police returned to our fair city on January 17, 1955—August G. Kettmann. Television service by the Palm Springs Community Television cor-

poration increased its service to many more areas in the community. Marion Davies bought The Desert Inn after that hostelry had been owned by one family, the Coffman's for 49 years.

That the tramway is a lot closer to realization than ever before. I caught a glimpse of Leland Kai, head of the financial firm that will handle the bonds, taking off via air the other day. Ran after him, stopped him and talked to him but he only wanted to talk about the weather. Nevertheless, the signs are nothing but good. There are more new hotels in operation more are refrigerating for Summer business and last Summer's business was better than ever before but it will even be better come next Summer.

**THE BEST** do-it-yourself project tonight is: "drive carefully." Happy New Year to all.

**FAIR WARNING**  
TOMAHAWK, Wis. (AP)—A sign on a fencepost beside a highway in this northern Wisconsin resort area has this message for passing motorists, "This is God's country — don't drive through it like Hell."

The Desert Sun  
PALM SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA  
Saturday, December 31, 1955

## Safety Boot Suffers but His Foot is O.K.

MILWAUKEE (AP)—An 18,000-pound casting dropped squarely on Earl Mesich's foot recently with little more than a dent, considering.

Mesich, a hitcher at the Kearney-Trecker manufacturing plant, suffered two broken toes, but he said there was no question he would have lost all five had it not been for his safety shoe.

The steel-tipped shoe was badly damaged and the metal plate was dented and split. But what less could anyone expect from an 18,000-pound blow?

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# EDITOR'S CORNER

• by Oliver B. Jaynes

**ROSE BOWL PACT** — After 23 post-season Rose Bowl games between the championship team of the West Coast (with the exception of California Wonder Teams of 1922 and 23 which declined the bid) and top teams of the East, Middle West or South, the Pacific Coast Conference, which gained control of the post-season thriller soon after the Rose Bowl was built in 1923, entered into a five year contract with the Big Ten. The new arrangement for the Rose Bowl game started a furor at once because most people were disappointed that they could not see the great Army team of 1946 in action in the Rose Bowl on January 1, 1947. But the terms of the new pact provided that the Pacific Coast Champions meet the Big Ten conference winners each year in Pasadena with the exception that no team could return but once in three years.

UCLA was the first victim of the dominance of Big Ten teams for the next six years. Buddy Young, the Illinois star, ran wild that day and the only thrill the local fans enjoyed was a 103 yard touchdown run by Bruin Al Horisch.

Two unfortunate things happened for Western football followers on New Year's Day, 1948; two platoon football was introduced in the Rose Bowl for the first time and Michigan made its second trip to Pasadena. Fritz Crisler's Michigan horde repeated the 1902 performance with a 49 to 0 victory over unfortunate USC.

California won the Pacific Coast Conference championship three years in a row in 1949-50 and 51 and accepted the Rose Bowl bid on all three occasions this time, perhaps much to the sorrow of Pappy Waldorf, their famed coach. Cal's luck simply ran out. In 1949 they lost to Northwestern in the last few minutes. In 1950 Ohio State won 17 to 14 by kicking a field goal in the last three minutes. Michigan came back in 1951 and was losing 6 to 0 at the half but Cal again lost out in the end by a 14 to 6 score.

It was Illinois and Stanford in the 1952 tussle and the the Indians from Palo Alto were leading 7 to 6 at the half. But it was a different story when the final whistle blew — 40 to 7, Illinois. Illinois' three great backs — Tate, Karas and Bachouros — prevailed over Stanford's Gary Kerkorian, a great passer. That made it six straight for the Big Ten at Pasadena.

Still smarting from their 49-0 licking by Michigan 5 years before, the Trojans returned in '53 to turn back Alan Ameche and a great Wisconsin eleven 7-0. But the next year the Spartans of Michigan State made their first trip West — having just that year received full conference standing. UCLA got off to a nice 14-0 lead but wound up on the short end of a 28-20 thriller.

It's the Spartans and the Bruins again next Monday afternoon—and you pick the winner. UCLA has a good team but a bad Bowl record. Michigan State is tough, as Big Ten teams usually are. I pick the Spartans to do it again — but hope the Bruins run them right out the Arroyo Seco!

## OTHER EDITORS

• Express their views

**Knoxville, Iowa, Express** — What would happen if all the government aid was knocked out entirely? Would everything be in the same position? Maybe you wouldn't get a lot of things you are getting now, but you wouldn't have to be paying out most of what you can make in government taxes either. Finally you have to pay for everything that you get. The government or the state has nothing.

**Fairmont, W. Va., Monongahela News** — Business men in America always have accepted risk as part of the price of freedom, and part of the price of successful business operations. But nobody willingly is going to take risks unless there is a good reason, a strong incentive, for doing so.

**Runge, Texas, News**—Given time and a lot of it, even a Government eventually learns a thing or two. For example, the U.S. Government plans to buy surplus pork, but instead of placing it in storage, it will supply it to school children and needy persons.

**Cleveland, Miss., News-Enterprise** — One of the strangest notions that can pervade a people is that the state has money of its own — and nowhere, perhaps, is that notion more firmly fixed than in the United States. This is in face of the fact that it is very clearly evident to anyone who will just stop a moment and think that there is no such thing...



**PALM SPRINGS HISTORICAL Society**, an auxiliary of Welwood Murray Memorial Library, will soon close its list of Charter Members. Anyone interested in acquiring the honor is asked to fill out the sample membership card below, and send or bring it to the Historical Society, in care of the Welwood Murray Memorial Library. Memberships are: Patron, \$100; Sponsor, \$25, Regular \$5.

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1955 Address

## 'GEE! HOPE IT HAS AN ELEPHANT CALLER, TOO!'



## THIS SIDE of The Sun

By Phat

Instead of cursing  
Just start rehearsing  
To keep your brain alive.  
After the morrow  
It's to your sorrow  
If you write it fifty five.

Today is the end of the line. The last day of the year, 1955. But it usually takes me a week to get used to dating things right. And I'll probably be writing 1955 until sometime next week.

**WHILE ON THE TOPIC** of the New Year, here's a thought I picked up while doing some light reading this week, relative to the passing of the old year tonight: "Early to bed and early to rise and your head won't be three times its size." Another thought about tonight's wassail. In The Sun I read about the plans of some lounges to serve free coffee for that "one for the road" as the 2 a.m. curfew comes upon the celebrants. That's a fine idea but they might go a bit farther. How about offering free taxi rides home? One little taxi would beat a barrel-full of coffee. And if you want to see what a gay dog looks like the morning after, see Page One.

**THE DEPARTMENT** of Motor Vehicles went two letters too far when they awarded the letters CX as prefixes on the new 1956 (almost wrote it 1955) auto license plates in the desert area. If they found it impossible to give us plates starting with SUN, how come they couldn't have backtracked a couple of notches and given us CV? That applies to the desert area, too. I knew that I would be called when I wrote the other day, "360 days until Christmas — give or take a day or two." Comes a communication: "Look at your calendar, why don't you. Next year has 366 days so no matter what you give or take, you are a day off."

**THERE'S A GENTLEMAN** on Tamarisk Road who has a definite and vehement complaint. He says there ought to be a law and if there is, why don't they enforce it? Seems that Tamarisk Road is rather narrow and when the litterbugs zip by and toss things out of their cars, they go bounce on to his lawn. He doesn't mind the papers and light objects too much because they are soon wafted away by the breezes. What he objects to are the beer bottles, beer cans and bottles which once contained stronger beverages. Says he'd like to catch a litter bug flagrante delicto (a legal phrase, courtesy Judge E. E. Theriault). He would get the license number, or, even better, make a citizen's arrest.

**THE WAY TRAFFIC** is filling up Palm Canyon Drive, Indian Avenue and other streets, too, the Y at the junction of our two main thoroughfares isn't the only place they'll need a street signal. Have you tried this week to make a turn into the Drive from any of the side streets between Arenas Road and Alejo Road? It's a hassle until some polite motorist comes along and lets you in. The other afternoon a driver on Tahquitz Drive, three cars back from Palm Canyon Drive, honked his horn wildly and shouted imprecations at the two cars ahead. And when they did move, he was asleep and stood there, getting the horn himself.

AND SO, A VERY HAPPY NEW YEAR TO YOU, TOO.

## Watching the Ramparts

CIVIL DEFENSE NOTES

Major General Frederic H. Smith Jr., vice commander of the Air Defense Command at Colorado Springs, had this to say at the recent Governor's Conference on Civil Defense in Sacramento:

"Radar, as most of you know, operates roughly on line-of-sight, and against low flying aircraft is interfered with by terrain features and the curvature of the earth. Radar also picks up friendly aircraft, which it cannot automatically identify. Our Ground Observer Corps plays a vital part in our defense system through tracking low-flying aircraft and through adding an identification capability through the eyes and ears of our observers.

"The Ground Observer has been invaluable to us so far. In addition to his watch against the coming of hostile aircraft, he has been instrumental in saving many planes which are lost or in trouble. He has spotted fires, given us detailed weather information, tracked tornadoes, and been a community asset unparalleled.

Unfortunately, I cannot forecast the creation of an air defense system so effective as to make our great cities and vital military targets immune to air attack. I can forecast, however — granted the wholehearted application of our scientific and industrial talent, and the patriotic, unpaid services of our Ground Observer Corps—the creation of an extremely effective defense system.

This, coupled with the creation and maintenance of striking forces, so powerful as to insure catastrophic damage upon an aggressor, will make it too unprofitable to engage in an unprovoked attack upon this country as to give us every reason to hope that we may be spared forever the horrors of a nuclear war."

The words of praise from one of the nation's top military men should serve as encouragement to Ground Observer Corps all over the country, who spend many unrecognized and unsung hours watching the skies, and may perhaps occasionally doubt the need for their services since technological advances have "outdated" man in many respects.

It is still the human watcher who is depended on to report planes

in his area when radar and other devices fail. The Palm Springs Ground Observer Corps still needs you—take a few hours each week to serve your country and your community. Applications are made at the Library.

## MENUS

Menu to be used in schools in the Palm Springs Unified District next week is printed below to aid mothers in avoiding duplication of meals.

Tuesday — Braised beef, with noodles, peas, tomato wedges, Vienna bread and butter, peach halves, milk.

Wednesday — Meat loaf with gravy, cubbed potatoes, tossed salad, wheat bread and butter, orange and grapefruit wedge, milk.

Thursday — Beef and vegetable pie, harvard beets, cabbage, pineapple and date salad, wheat bread and butter, banana pudding, milk.

Friday — Fish sticks, whipped potatoes, carrot and raisin salad, wheat bread and butter, apricot cobbler, milk.

## QUOTES

By UNITED PRESS

PARIS — Pierre Mendes-France in a challenge to three of his political opponents — Foreign Minister Antoine Pinay, former Premier Georges Bidault and Communist boss Jacques Duclos — to appear at a Radical Socialist Party rally, and debate with him:

"It seemed useful to me to ask you to be there and, if you wish, to contradict the speech I shall make."

WASHINGTON. — Mrs. Mamie Eisenhower on whether David, the presidential grandson, believes in Santa Claus:

"If he doesn't he certainly puts on a good show."

BERLIN — Pvt. Willie J. Holden 19, of Poplarville, Miss., on his acquittal at a court martial on charges of striking an East Berlin comedian who called him "an American swine":

"I could have hit him harder."

## GRIN AND BEAR IT

By LICHY



... But I planned to be good and late, Fignewton! ... Do you want them to think we haven't been to another party first!

## Mike Connolly

**HOLLYWOOD**—Even while Rita Hayworth takes the stand to blast him as a Svengali, Dick Haymes is mapping wedding plans with Rita Lynn. Miss Hayworth says reports from Europe linking her with her ex, Aly Khan, are "strictly somebody's imagination." But she will double right back to Europe after her court fight, to join her children. A movie? "All I need is a good story," says Rita. "I'm available and will travel!" The Geary Steffens will build in Mandeville Canyon. Frank Sinatra's new home will be in Chinese modern. Ah so. MGM wants Glenn Ford for James Michener's "Before They Sail." Paramount wants the actor for Michener's "Sayonara." MGM has taken over a Japanese town near Osaka and is tearing out the present crops and replanting acres and acres of rice for "Teahouse of the August Moon." Studio will also build a new teahouse for the natives. Paul Gregory ordered a film script on "Don Juan in Hell." It'll also be spectacularized next fall. In addition to being dropped on his head, Bob Hope had a touch of mal de mer, which is French for "I don't remember eating THAT!"

**THE CHICHI**—&chinchilla set surged between the Mo and Ciro's Tuesday night in a flood tide of imperial sables and diamond-embroidered necklaces caressed by squalls and cat's paws of costly perfumes for the openings of

Peggy King (Mo) and the Mills Bros. (Ciro's). George Gobel, introducing Miss King, hailed the Mo-siders as "comparison shoppers from Ciro's." "Welcome," said George, with a nod to Charlie Morrison's lovebirds, "to the Sunset Boulevard branch of the Audubon Society." Gobel asked the first-liters not to write to the folks at home about his TV sidekick singing in the saloons—"because our audience includes many narrow-minded children." Gobel to pretty, perky Peggy: "I'm the red-blooded boy who lives next door to you." Peg: "There's a parking lot next door." Gobel: "I live there, under Charlie Morrison's Thunderbird. Will you sing?" Peg: "With all my heart." Gobel: "Put a little voice in it too, huh?" Whereupon Peg sang and we all eased on back, lit up our Havanas and sighed, "This is livin'!" Peg has come a long way since her last Mo stand. Whatever she sings—"Cry Me a River" or the Hunt's Tomato Sauce jingle—she sings like a real pro. We're glad we caught her act. The Ciro's set flipped over the Millses, still masters of melody, harmony and rhythm. Also over the Paul Meeres Trio, wildest dance troupe we've seen in these parts in a long time. A squirrel and his sweetie were spooning high in a treetop. A gust of wind tumbled them to the ground. Said he, "That mugging in the trees is for the birds!"

**ALEC GUINNESS'** wife is very shy, which is why you never see her at parties. Jean Negulesco directed a test of Jacques Bergerac, with Dana Wynter. Jacques may do "Boy on a Dolphin" at 20th. Marlene Dietrich gifted Buddy Pepper, her sometime accompanist, with an 18-carat gold watch. Greg Bautzer gifted Mari Blanchard with a heart-shaped diamond pendant. Out at Warners yesterday we asked Jimmy Stewart where he'll spend the Eve. He said, "Right at home. Going out that night is like going into combat." Stewart had to have his hair bleached for "The Spirit of St. Louis." He remarked he same, "I've always had great respect for bleached blondes but now I've got even more." Silence was observed for 10 minutes at Warners, in tribute to the memory of Mrs. Rose Warner Charnas. UA may hire Morris Ernst to fight the MPAA code decision of "Golden Arm." Ernst fought the "I Am a Camera" decision for DCA. A top boy singer better get off his diet of booze and pills and try some milk and cookies before he gets thinner than his thinning bank account, and we DON'T mean Sinatra! Bob Schiller phoned Ed Gardner. Simone, Ed's spouse, came in on the extension: "Ed, I'm ready for breakfast—will you send it up? Bob: "Ed, is your wife always that sexy in the morning?" Ed: "Well, it's like this, Bob. It's the difference between radio and TV."

## Earl Wilson

## It Happened Last Night

**NEW YORK** — And so here they are, coming right at you — our 1955 "Broadway Bests."

Blonde Jayne Mansfield from Dallas and Hollywood is undoubtedly the Broadway Gal of the Year because of her acting in a towel and out of a towel in "Will Success Spoil Rock Hunter?" She and the Coliseum are New York's biggest buildings, and builds, of 1955.

Jaye P. Morgan was the Top Girl Singer, Al Hibbler the Top Boy Singer, and Frank Sinatra the Top Everything — actor, crooner, money-maker, lover and all-around Sensational Guy. The Comeback of the Year was undoubtedly Paul Muni's, for he didn't allow the loss of an eye to prevent him from returning to "Inherit the Wind."

The Mirage of the Year was Col. TV. Whatever happened to that? The Picture of the Year was undoubtedly Terry Moore's — the one with her skirts up taken in Istanbul.

**MEN OF THE YEAR:** Ike, Hopalong Cassidy of Ohio State, Johnny Podres of the Brooklyn Dodgers, Sugar Ray Robinson, Sinatra and Ike's press chief, James C. Hagerty, Jr. Also that fellow who was about to marry Princess Margaret, Group Captain Peter Townsend.

**TV COMEDIAN** of the year: Phil Silvers. Biggest-Selling Songs: Tennessee Ernie's "Sixteen Tons" and Bill Hayes' "Davy Crockett."

**MOST FORGOTTEN MURDER:** Serge Rubinstein's. (Bet you can't remember the names of the girls questioned.) Biggest Bust of the Year: Anita Ekberg's. Biggest Bustup: Rita Hayworth and Dick Haymes.

This was the year Toots Shor sued Sherm Billingsley, Milton H. Greene became Marilyn Monroe's top strategist, Eddie married Deb-

bie, Gloria Vanderbilt walked out on Skokie, stripper Evelyn West was bridesmaid at a Denver nudist wedding, and I fell on my kisser at Roseland trying to do the cha cha cha.

**BIGGEST DEAL:** Jackie Gleason's for \$11,000,000. Biggest TV Upsurge: Perry Como's. Femme Fatale of the Year: Bella Darvi. Year's TV Sensations: "The 64,000 Question" and Lover Boy Hal March.

**MOST OUTSTANDING** jewel collector: Linda Christian. Celebrity Who Was Firing on All Cylinders: Arthur Godfrey. Biggest Upset: The Dodgers winning the series, Phil Silvers passing Milton Berle. The Romantic Flop of the Year: Libera and Sonja Henie.

**MOST OVERWORKED** jokes: About the Davy Crockett cap and the wife who bawled out a man for bringing home a Cadillac saying, "So you missed the \$64,000 Question!"

**BEST B'WAY ACTRESSES:** Susan Strasberg, Gwen Verdon, Kim Stanley. Best New B'Way Actors: Burl Ives and Andy Griffith. All-Around Nicest Guy: Don Ameche. This was the year, too, of Grace Kelly, Eva Marie Saint, Marion Brando and Budd Schulberg—and the year that Brando's French doll, Josiane, dropped out of the Brando sweepstakes.

Most Promising New B'Way Gal: Judy Tyler of "Pipe Dream." Best New Movie Star: Kim Novak. Best Movie: "Marty," with Ernest Borgnine and Betsy Blair.

**BEST NEW CAFE ACT:** The McGuire Sisters. Phony of the Year: An actor who claimed to be the son of a Personality was quietly exposed. Best B'way Books of the year: Oops, I didn't write

any. (Seriously Joe E. Lewis' The Joker is Wild. Joey Adams' "Strictly for Laughs.") Animal of the Year: Rin Tin Tin.

TV Spectacle of the Year: "Peter Pan." Best Giveaway Performances: The Ford Foundation's \$500,000,000 charity donations.

**"NECESSITY" OF the Year:** Air Conditioning. Somebody said every place was now air-conditioned but Hades.

**THE WEEK-END WINDUP**... "DON'T PRINT THAT!" A singer, whose previous Christmas gifts have been cheap key rings, has switched to ballpoint pens (value, 11 cents). A H'wood star nabbed in a dope raid was released after "explaining" he was "doing research for a play I'm writing."

Gina Lollobrigida tells young Italian actresses, "Don't go to Hollywood. I was there five years ago—the biggest mistake I ever made!" George Burns' and Gracie Allen's son Ronnie was signed for Jackie Gleason "Honeymooners" skit. Lou Walters asked Larry (Beauty-City) Mathews to give the Latin ¼ gals multi-color hairdos.

**WISH I'D SAID THAT:** The best thing about color TV is that so far the neighbors haven't been able to afford it either. — Frank (Dunhall) Malesler.

**TODAY'S BEST LAUGH:** There's the distressing experience of a Scotsman who entered a room that he thought was labeled "Ladies." —Quote.

Eyde Gorme heard of a man who took his life's savings out of the bank for a Miami holiday. When he saw the prices he realized he hadn't lived long enough... That's earl, brother.

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## Robert S. Allen

## Washington Report

**WASHINGTON** — There is a huge new item in the forthcoming military budget which is certain to cause stormy controversy in Congress.

It's \$300,000,000 for maintaining American forces in West Germany. The military budget for next fiscal year, starting July 1, won't be made public for several weeks, but congressional authorities already have inside word of this unannounced new item and are priming their guns for it. One of them is Representative Harold Ostergart (R-N.Y.), member of the powerful House Appropriations Committee, who was recently seized at gun point by Red guards while sight-seeing in satellite East Germany.

Since World War II, West Germany has paid the cost of Allied forces stationed there. But under the 1954 Paris Agreement, these payments, now totalling \$760,000,000, will end next May. After that, all the Bonn Government is obligated to do is to negotiate on possible future payments. That's all; merely to discuss the matter. Nothing more than that. And that is where the rub comes in, and why the \$300,000,000 budget item is already stirring congressional opposition.

Following are the reasons for this explosive backstage situation: Bonn has served notice on the U. S., Britain and the other NATO allies, that it cannot continue these payments — because of the heavy cost to West Germany of rearming as a NATO power. Bonn contends it can't carry both these heavy financial burdens. If it is going to rearm, then it can't pay the Allies hundreds of millions of dollars for "goods and services" for their armed forces in West Germany. It's got to be one or the other: Bonn is making it bluntly clear it won't pay both.

Meanwhile Britain has advised the U. S. that if the German payments stop, Britain will have to withdraw a considerable portion

of its forces there — for the same reason given by Bonn: Inability to bear the extra cost. The British say they, too, can't assume a large new financial burden. With them it is also one or the other: either German payments, or British troops will have to be sharply curtailed.

The U. S. and Britain have four divisions each in West Germany. Of the latter's \$760,000,000 maintenance payments, the U. S. gets 46 percent; Britain, Canada and several other NATO allies, 34.8 percent; and France, 29.2 percent.

**SEEKING ANSWER** — Prime Minister Anthony Eden will discuss this difficult problem when he comes to Washington on January 20.

He has indicated intention to sub-

mit the issue to the full NATO council, if an understanding can't be worked out otherwise. Toward that end, Ambassador James Cagney, on State Department instructions, has begun preliminary talks with Bonn officials.

The State Department is against the Germans' ending these payments.

It is contended they should be continued until German forces can replace the American and other NATO units now protecting West Germany from Communist aggression. The cost of these troops is a proper charge and should be borne by West Germany until capable of providing such an anti-Red defense itself.

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## Try and Stop Me

By BENNETT CERF

A TEXAS RANCHER took an Eastern tenderfoot on a grueling twenty-mile horseback ride to show him "the purtiest scenery in the United States." When the Texan finally called a halt, he pointed proudly toward the horizon and inquired, "Do you realize you are sitting on the highest spot in the state of Texas?"

"I wouldn't know 'bout that," moaned the uneasy Easterner, "but I do know I'm sitting on the sorest spot in Texas!"

San Antone ballad:

"They met on the bridge in the gloaming, But they never will meet there again, For one was a west-bound heifer, The other an east-bound train."

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## Communion to Mark Service New Year's Day

The Community Church of Cathedral City will observe the coming of the New Year by a Communion service tomorrow, January 1 at 9 a.m., according to the pastor, Rev. Dr. Graham Hunter. The Sunday School is at 9:30 a.m., and morning worship is at eleven.

Between 3 and 6 p.m., the pastor and Mrs. Hunter will be at home to receive members and friends, at the "Manse" at 66-575 D Street around the corner from the church.

Sunday School teachers and parents will meet for a potluck supper and brief program Tuesday, January 2, with the Rev. Dr. Harvey Harper of Coachella as speaker. He will lead a discussion on religion in the home, and about what the Sunday School is trying to do through the Faith and Life curriculum. The meeting is under the auspices of the "Five C's," the young adult's group of the church of which Mrs. Berton Lamb is president.

## Devotion Service to Mark Close of Year Tonight

The year's activities for Our Savior's Lutheran Church will close on December 31 with a New Year's Eve devotion at the home of the Rev. LeRoy Hass, pastor, 1540 Mel avenue, at 8 p.m.

"Our New Year's Prayer," is the topic for the New Year's Day Service at the American Legion hall, 400 North Belardo Road. The prayer is found in 1st Chronicles, 4:9, 10. The two petitions of the prayer are: "Oh, that the Lord would enlarge our Coasts," and "Oh, that he would keep us from evil."

Holy Communion will be celebrated in the 10:30 a.m. service on New Year's Day. All who wish to partake of Holy Communion are urged to attend the 10 a.m. Confessional Service.

By flying a high-speed parabola, or roller coaster arc, a pilot can free himself of gravity's pull for about 30 seconds. Centrifugal force throws him up; gravity pulls him down. The two forces cancel each other, and the flier floats in his safety harness.

## 'What is Thy Name' is Title of Sermon Here

"What is Thy Name" will be the topic for both morning services at the Community Church of Palm Springs at 9:30 and 11 a.m. Dr. James H. Blackstone, pastor, has been speaking for several weeks on a series of sermons' "Questions Jesus Asked."

Elmer Young will direct the Chancel Choir in singing the anthem "Nazareth" by Gounod, with Frank Hammerschlag singing the baritone solo.

Sunday School is held with classes for all age groups at 9:30 a.m. A trained nurse is in attendance for the care of small children and infants during the morning services.

There will be no Christian Endeavor services this evening, but at the 7:30 evening worship service there will be a Candle Lighting service, "The Message of Time with High School young people taking part as the various months of the year. Those in the program are: Joan Weber, Freddie Grimm, Bob King, Nancy Gardner, Diane Maynard, Patricia Phillips, Polly Self, Nancy Sutton, David Self, Judy Bagdasarian, Doradeen Parker and Kent Werges. Nancy Roether will bring the special music.

All are welcome to attend. Saturday night, New Year's Eve, there will be a special program at the church. Beginning at 8, there will be a covered dish dinner with reservations. At 9:30 a program will be presented and Dr. Blackstone will present colored slides of England and Scotland taken while in Europe this Summer. At 11 a Mid-Night Watch Service will be held, and Communion. All are welcome to come and join in this service.

## Ice Artists Can Put Away Chisels

CINCINNATI, O. — Chefs with an artistic flair can throw away their mallets and chisels and forget the fine art of carving ice centerpieces.

The City Products Corp., local ice firm, has developed a molding process that can create a dozen varieties of ice statuary by just freezing water inside metal molds. Now, the only carving needed is to smooth the edges where halves of the molds meet.

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## CONFIDENT LIVING

By Norman Vincent Peale

One of the greatest experts in starting a new year was my own father. Every year was new and thrilling to him.

Just a few weeks ago my father died. He was 85 years old. I never knew anyone who loved life more than he did or got more out of living. Shortly after his death I received a letter from an old friend of the family, a retired physician who now lives in California but who once practiced in New York. His name is Dr. Clarence C. Lieb and, twenty years ago, I had taken my father to him because of his critical physical condition.

"I am saddened," the doctor wrote, "by the news of your father's death. He lived much longer than his physical condition of twenty years ago promised. I am confident that it was his fine mind and superb spirit which added greatly to his longevity. It was a privilege to have served him professionally. I bless his memory."

Charles Clifford Peale was not only a minister, he was also a physician. His intellectual curiosity and his mental vitality were tremendous. He read prodigiously and was able to master and explain books which other people, including his son, had great difficulty in comprehending. Fulton Oursler once told me that it had taken him four readings to write his condensation of duNooy's "Human Destiny" for Reader's Digest. Of course, Fulton did a masterful job as always. He said that my father helped him greatly, as he had mastered the difficult book so thoroughly that his explanations were amazingly clear.

My father didn't give up very easily and he didn't permit his sons to give up. He always told us, "The Peales never quit." When I was writing my book, "A Guide to Confident Living," which became a best seller, I became discouraged with my work and literally threw it away. He rescued the manuscript and found a publisher for it.

He loved to speculate about the world and everything in it, the stars, and man, and God. He reveled in philosophy. He loved all of nature and, strangely enough, became one of the greatest amateur authorities on snakes. Even after arthritis crippled him so that he could hardly use his hands, and a series of strokes confined him to a wheel chair, he could always think, and think he did. He became interested in astronomy and studied the heavens from his chair. He was one of the finest conversationalists I ever knew and discussed the greatest questions with charming wit and inspiration. People loved to sit at

his feet and listen. He put the touch of glory on everything he handled intellectually.

Finally, the day came when a new stroke took away his speech and he could no longer form words. The last thing he ever said to me, and I had to get right down with my ear to his mouth to hear it, was: "I am studying heaven. Scientists say, 'It's in the Milky Way.' Tonight look at the Milky Way."

When he died the doctor came from the room and said, "The light of reason was in his eyes until I closed them." How my father would like that statement.

Charles Clifford Peale lifted himself above his physical difficulties by a mighty upthrust of courage and spirit and mental alertness and faith. And it was that which kept him alive twenty years past his time. Crippling limitations and pain could not dim the happiness that welled up in him in each of those twenty new years that followed his first desperate illness. He lived in the mind and spirit in the soul, and so life never lost its fascination for him.

A distinguished English physician once said, "There is no tissue in the body that is not governed to one degree or another by spirit." That is why the body that contains an active and a curious mind and a spirit that is in touch with spiritual greatness is not—and CANNOT be—defeated by disease or illness.

So as you move out into this New Year of 1956, put yourself in touch with God's greatness. Live in the mind and spirit. Love life and people and the world and so gain a source of energy and power that will last for many happy new years. The Scriptures give the formula for vitality and joy. "For in Him we live, and move, and have our being."

## Church of Religious Science

Ernest Holmes, Founder

Subject Jan. 1

From Revelations:

"Behold, I have set before thee a door opened, which none can shut."

DR. IRMA GLEN

Minister

Sunday Services

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at

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## Lecture Series Announced for Religious Science

The annual January lecture series on Religious Science; what it is, the way it works, what it does and how to use it, will constitute the Sunday morning sermon topics this month of Church of Religious Science of Palm Springs at El Paso Theatre at 10:45 a.m.

Ernest Holmes Ph. D. is the founder of this international movement in religious philosophy, and Dr. Irma Glen is the resident minister and director of activities in this area.

Mrs. Harriet Wilson, dramatic soprano and a protégé of Madame Renee Rochelle, will be the guest soloist this Sunday. Dr. Glen's Bible text for the New Year's Day service will be from Revelations: "Behold, I have set before thee a door opened, which none can shut." The midweek services are held on Thursday evenings at 8 p.m. at the Minister's residence, 1110 Buena Vista Drive, Phone 6619.

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Wednesday Meetings, 8 P.M.

Sunday Service 11 A.M.

Woman's Clubhouse

The Reading Room, 373 So. Palm Canyon Dr., is open daily, except Sunday and holidays from 12 to 4, Friday and Saturday evenings from 8 to 9.

## God to Be Topic for Christian Science Sermon

The Lesson-Sermon subject in all Christian Science churches Sunday is "God." Through the ages spiritually minded men have discerned great truths about God, and have given them to us in the Holy Bible. Many such passages are used in this sermon.

Moses heard God declare His Oneness and Allness in the First Commandment (Ex. 20:3), "Thou shalt have no other gods before me." The Psalmist sang (96:2,6), "Sing unto the Lord, . . . Honour and majesty are before him: strength and beauty are in his sanctuary."

The Golden Text says of God's supremacy (1 Sam. 2:2), "There is none holy as the Lord: for there is none beside thee: neither is there any rock like our God."

Mary Baker Eddy, in her textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" declares, "The starting-point of divine Science is that God, Spirit, is All-in-all, and that there is no other might nor Mind,—that God is

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CHURCH GROWTH  
BERRIEN SPRINGS, Mich. — Membership in the Seventh-Day Adventist Church has passed the 1,000,000 mark, officials of the church's Emmanuel Missionary College here reported. The church was founded 92 years ago at Battle Creek, Mich.

Love, and therefore He is divine Principle." In another passage she writes, "The divine Principle of the First Commandment bases the Science of being, by which man demonstrates health, holiness, and life eternal." (pp. 275, 340)

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## CHURCH SCHEDULES

(EDITOR'S NOTE: All churches are invited to submit their services for inclusion in this column, to be published every Saturday.)

### ST. LOUIS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Masses — Sundays, 6:30, 8, 10, 11:15 a.m.; daily, 7:30 a.m.; Holy Days, 6:30 and 8 a.m.

Confessions — Saturdays, 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Before Masses on Sundays.

Sick Calls — Any time of day or night. Always call the Priest at first sign of serious illness, never delay.

Instructions for Grammar School Children — Palm Desert, Wednesdays at 11:30 a.m.; Cathedral City, Wednesdays at 2:30 p.m.

Information Class for Adults — Mondays at 7:45 p.m.

### ST. PAUL'S IN THE DESERT EPISCOPAL CHURCH

125 West El Allameda  
Holy Communion 8 a.m.  
Family Service and Church School 9:15 a.m.

Morning Prayer and Sermon 11 a.m.

Young People's Fellowship 7 p.m.  
Monday, Guild of St. Paul's in the Desert 10 a.m., Parish Hall.

Service League 8 p.m., Parish Hall.  
Tuesday, Confirmation classes for adults, 7:30 p.m. Rector's Study.

Thursday, Holy Communion 10 a.m., Senior Choir Rehearsal, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, Junior Choir rehearsal, 4 p.m.  
Saturday, Confirmation Classes for Young People, 10 a.m.

### CHURCH OF THE FOURSQUARE GOSPEL

600 Vella Road  
Phone 6577

Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship, 11 a.m.

Evening service, 7:45 p.m.

Wednesday: Bible Study and Prayer Meeting 7:45 p.m.

Listen to "Treasurers in Truth" each Saturday morning from 7:05 to 7:20, on KCMJ.

### ASSEMBLY OF GOD

1290 E. Ramon Road  
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Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship, 11 a.m.

Sunday Evening Evangelistic Service, 7 p.m.

### Wednesday Evening Service,

7:30 p.m.

Friday Evening Prayer Meeting,

7:30 p.m.

Mrs. Bessie Coffey, pastor.

### OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

400 North Belardo Road  
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Saturday, December 31, 8 p.m. New Year's Eve Devotion at the Pastor's home, 1540 Mel avenue.

Sunday, January 1 — 9:15 a.m. Sunday School and Adult Bible Class; 10 a.m. Confessional Service; 10:30 a.m. Divine Worship with Holy Communion.

Tuesday, January 3 — 4 p.m. Young People's Confirmation Class.

Saturday, January 7 — 8 a.m. Young People's Confirmation Class.

Rev. LeRoy Hass, pastor.

### COMMUNITY CHURCH OF PALM SPRINGS

9:30 Sunday School.  
9:30 and 11 Duplicate Worship Services.

7:30 p.m. Evening Worship Service.

Wednesday, 10 a.m. Woman's Prayer Group.

6:30 p.m. High School Choir.  
7:30 p.m. Mid-week Service.

Come for this fellowship of prayer and Bible Study and stay for the fellowship hour, when refreshments will be served.

7:30 p.m. 4-C Club for High School young people.  
Thursday, 3:30 p.m. Choraleer Youth Choir Practice.

7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir practice.

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Training Union 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship Service 7:30 p.m.

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## Clubwomen Will Hear Hat Lecture

The first meeting of the Palm Springs Woman's Club in the new year will be held Monday, January 2, 1956, at the club house, with Mrs. Lloyd White speaking on "Philosophy Through Your Hat."

Homespun philosophy, framed in lively humor, hats with pointed and delightful personalities of their own, and the magnetic warmth of a charming and genuine woman, these are the components of Mrs. Lloyd White's famous hat lectures and the source of her distinctive reputation in the lecture and entertainment field.

Behind the lighthearted humor lies Mrs. White's knowledgeable background. A graduate of Butler University in Indianapolis, she studied philosophy at Ohio State University and has had years of experience as a teacher, club woman, civic and church worker.

Tea will be served after this refreshing and delightful talk. Mrs. H. W. Clatworthy and Mrs. B. Herbert will pour, and the tea table will be decorated by Mrs. Herbert Burns. Mrs. Keith Herbert, Mrs. Howard Mathews and Mrs. Howard Jay are in charge of refreshments.

Members are reminded that the second dessert card, party of the season will be held Monday, January 9, at one o'clock at the club house. The hospitality committee will act as hostesses. Please phone Mrs. Clara Kinne, 3779, for reservations.

## Lean Look Fat Sales Predicted

By GAY PAULEY  
United Press Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK (AP)—It will be a lean 1956 in the world of fashion.

That is, as regards the shape of the silhouette; not the state of sales. Sales are expected to set new records.

"Sixty to 75 per cent slim," said a spokesman for the Couture Group of the New York Dress Institute when asked to describe the look of 1956 styles.

The dominant shape promises to be the sheath, which is woeful news for the women not constructed like Grace Kelly. But designers do give the woman who needs them the benefit of some fuller skirts or modifications of the sheath.

**Bigger Hats.**  
Here, head to toe, is how the Dress Institute, the Millinery Fashion Bureau and other experts see the shape of fashion in the New Year.

Hats — Bigger and wider in brim, but not heavier because of the use of sheer fabrics and shiny, lightweight straws. Flowers frequently used as part of the fabric design rather than as trim.

Hair — Longer and sleeker, and often brushed up in the back.

Silhouette — Basically slender with skirt width varying from skin tight to full. When full, skirts are worn over petticoats less stiffened than in other seasons. A widening shoulder line. A so-called waistline that can't make up its mind, sometimes set almost at the armhole, other times dropped nearly to the knee, still other times disappearing. The softer suit will come back, and jacket lengths are growing shorter, to replace last fall's long, long jacket. The narrow line dominates in coats, too.

**Frisly Lingerie.**  
Fabrics — Vapor-weight is the rule, with imported wools, fine cottons, and synthetics all used. The softer fabrics — chiffon, organza and silk — dominate.

Colors — Pay your money and take your choice, but there is much brown, green, yellow and bright pink.

Shoes — More of the foot will be covered than in 1955; plenty of the patterned shoe fabrics — both prints and florals.

Underlinings — Frills take over in lingerie, with lace trimmings most of the silks and synthetics, embroidery trimming the cottons. The Corset and Brassiere Council said that foundation garment fabrics will be lighter than ever. They also will be more colorful, made in a variety of pastels — pink, blue, lime, beige, maize, and lilac — as well as black and white.

Prices — The Dress Institute predicted no change in apparel prices, but said women would spend more for new accessories. Other industry sources predicted that the first six months of 1956 would be up three to five per cent over 1955.

Use an empty soft drink carton as a carrier for household cleaning supplies. The compartments can be used to hold soaps, polishes, scouring power, and sponges.

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PHILOSOPHY THROUGH YOUR HAT, is the unusual topic that will be discussed by Mrs. Lloyd White, when she addresses Palm Springs Woman's Club on Monday afternoon.

## Davises Hosts in New Home

Jean and Bob Davis of 2151 Desert Palm Drive hosted a cocktail party for more than fifty of their Los Angeles and Palm Springs friends during the holiday season. It was a happy occasion for the Davises who had many of their friends see their new home for the first time since it was completed five weeks ago. The setting for the occasion was complete and the guests nearing the home were amazed at the beautifully decorated gardens and home which gave it the look of a fairyland of lights.

Marinate slices of liver in your favorite barbecue sauce for 30 minutes before pan-frying or broiling.

A terry cloth apron is a good idea for the cook who is constantly wiping her hands on her apron. The cloth is highly absorbent and can be tossed into the washing machine, with no ironing necessary.

## Son Born to Wassermans

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Wasserman of 180 West Racquet Club Road, are the parents of a son born December 28 at Desert Hospital. The little boy, who was named Mark Lee, weighed seven pounds 15 1/2 ounces. His grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wasserman of Palm Springs, and Mrs. Rose Moline of Los Angeles.

MR. AND MRS. JOSEPH Heider and children, Joseph Jr., two, and Linda Jo, seven months, of Santa Ana are guests of the George Morris family of 1048 South Calle Marcus. The Heider family came here for the New Year's holiday and will return to their home on Tuesday.

For a delicious holiday relish, grind together 4 cups of raw cranberries, 2 oranges and 1 lemon. Add 2 cups of sugar, mix well and chill. Serve in the orange shells from which the fruit was removed.

## Swedish Women Here on Visit

Visiting in Palm Springs this week and enjoying the contrast to their own country, are Marianne Gustavsson, who is with the Swedish State Railways in Stockholm and Ann-Marie Wetterlind who manages a hotel in the northernmost part of Sweden in Lapland. Miss Gustavsson arranges a nine-day "Sunlit Night Cruises" excursion on the train out of Stockholm which goes on a scenic circle above the Arctic Circle during the summer.

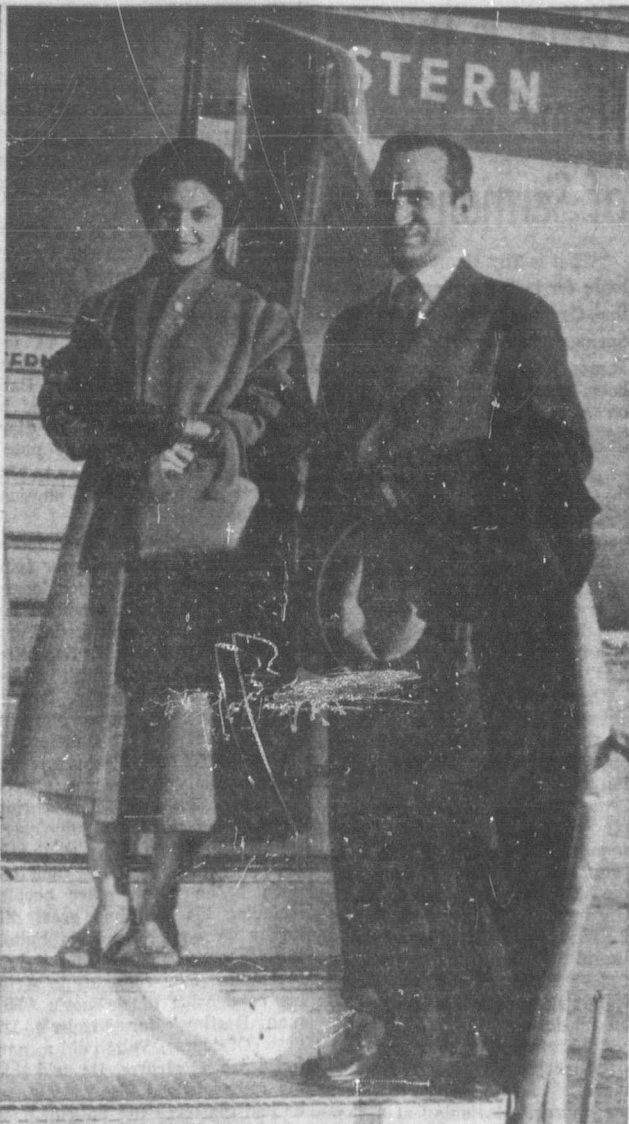
While lunching at the Oasis hotel, the girls enjoyed a visit with Dewey Metzger, general manager, who spent most of his life in Alaska prior to coming to Palm Springs ten years ago. He, too, knows all about the Arctic Circle, and has been up in that cold area many times.

Miss Wetterlind has had extensive hotel training in Swiss schools and now manages the Fjallet (which means mountain in Swedish) Bjorkliden, in Lapland. Her hotel, like the seasonal operation here, opens in February and runs to September. After September the days get so short there are only a few hours of light. During the early spring and summer months, skiing is the resort's most popular offering. They have ski lifts to take the guests to the 8,000 foot height, where the snow slides are perfect for the skier.

Both girls were invited to Palm Springs to be houseguests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Graham, 404 Camino del Sur, who travel each summer in Sweden. The group had a real Swedish Christmas smorgasbord dinner around the Graham's pool.

MR. AND MRS. PHILLIP Lester spent four days with their daughter and son and their families in Los Angeles during the holidays.

MR. AND MRS. DONALD Hammack and daughter Betsy of San Mateo, are the holiday guests of Mrs. Hammack's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Day of Cathedral City.



ARRIVING at the airport for a holiday visit at the Palm Springs Ranch Club is H. Amir El-Ahimi, civil adjunct of the Shah of Iran, who is accompanied by his assistant Mrs. Zarin-Malek S. Nury of Fresno.

## Swim Suit Showing January 5

Jantzen's "International Set" collection of swim suits will be modeled at two showings, one at 10:30 a. m. and one at 2:30 p. m., on the Desert Inn grounds next to the J. W. Robinson store on next Thursday, January 5.

Featuring adaptations from many countries, the smart new collection of swim wear was executed by famous sportswear designer Louella Ballerino, who will personally commentate the show. Unique fabrics and use of vibrant color are noticeable in the styles which reflect the influence of Spain, Italy, France, Chile, Brazil, England, West Germany, Switzerland, Australia, Mexico and Hawaii. The style emphasis is on the lengthened torso and the new look is as feminine as it is sophisticated.

Barbara Foster will present Palm Springs models Peggy Paul, Chris Haskell, and Barbara DeVoron, modeling this line of 1956 swim wear, which is having its first showing here in Palm Springs. The collection is brought here by the J. W. Robinson store.

**Eggnog Party**  
Dr. and Mrs. S. M. Brown hosted an afternoon and evening eggnog party for a large number of their friends during the Christmas holiday week. The Browns, who live at 2260 Overlook Road, with elaborate yard and home decorations and background music put the guests in the festive mood for the Yuletide season.

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## Arnolds to be Brunch Hosts

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Arnold will host a group of 25 at a table at the New Year's Day brunch at El Mirador's Kiva Room. The party will honor Mr. and Mrs. G. Howard Wells, who flew down last Friday from Portland and are the houseguests of the Claude McQuistons.

After the brunch, the group will retire to the Arnold home for bridge, followed by a supper.

The Arnolds' guests will be the McQuistons and Wells and Messers and Mmes. Carl Henderson, Amos O'Dell, Wilbur Bear, Henry LaForge, Hector Wood, Lee Haver, Also Mmes. Genevieve Berg, Ruth Davis, Edna Value, Evelyn Sahland and Olive Dyna.

## Dinner Dancing

Dining at El Mirador Thursday evening and dancing afterwards in the Kiva Room was a group of young people including Alice Harris, Pam Gaynor, Sally Ruston, Mike Gaynor, Cookie Hanson, Kim Gaynor, Pierce and Howard Marshall.

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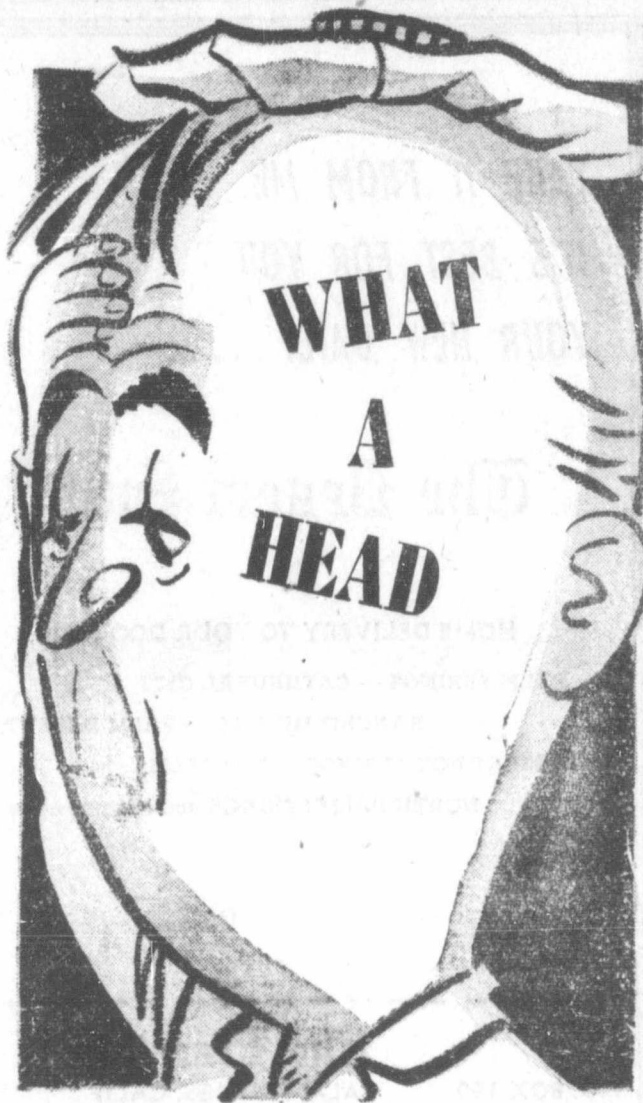


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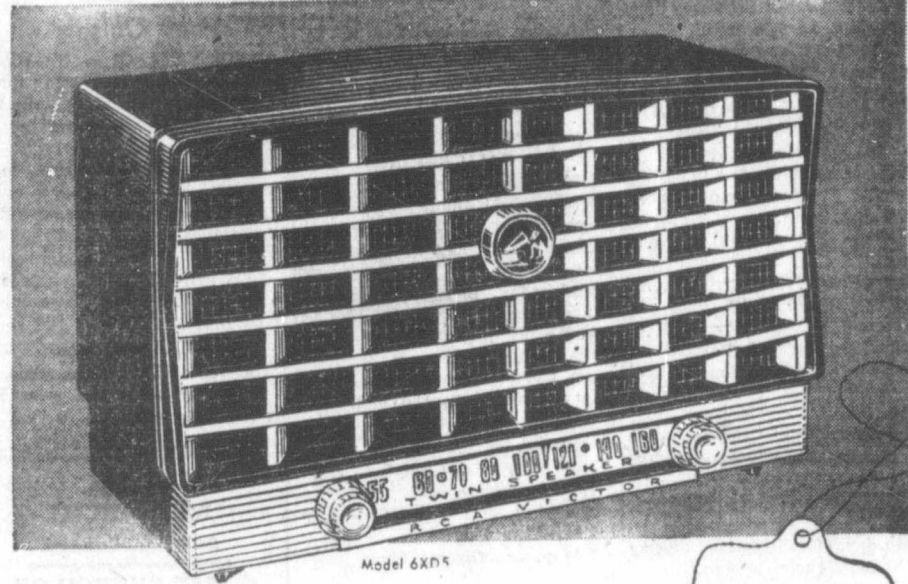
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**TALKING OVER** plans for the parties they will hostess at the Sponsors Ball to be given January 16 at El Mirador by the Palm Springs Playhouse Guild are, from left, Mrs. Dan (Phyl-

lis) Flax, Ginny Sims and Mrs. Harry Clatworthy. The fashionable ball will follow the preview performance of Herb Rogers' opening play "Oh Men, Oh Women," which starts a week's run at the Playhouse that evening.

## Gimpel Concert at Redlands

The distinguished Polish-American pianist, Jakob Gimpel, will appear in concert Tuesday, January 10, in the Redlands University Memorial Chapel. Gimpel, who had a well-established reputation in Europe before coming to the United States in 1939, has appeared as soloist with orchestras of Boston, Buffalo, Pittsburgh, Chicago, Salt Lake City, San Francisco, Seattle and Los Angeles. He has won high praise as a trit of the first rank in recitals, on radio, and in motion pictures and recordings. In describing one of his San Francisco recitals, Alfred Frankenstein of the San Francisco Chronicle declared, "Gimpel has enough tone for ten pianists, enough velocity for twenty, and enough musicianship for a squad or two besides."

Brought up in a family of professional musicians in Lwow, Poland, Jakob entered the Lwow Conservatory at eight, and played in the orchestra pit of a local theatre. He later toured Poland with his brother Bronislaw. At fifteen he went to Vienna to study piano with Edward Staermann and composition with Alban Berg. After a brilliant recital debut in Vienna he began a series of concert tours which took him all over Europe for several years. In 1937 he made a world tour of Palestine, Java, Sumatra and Australia, the first part of which was in company with the celebrated violinist, Bronislaw Huberman.

Gimpel has appeared in a number of Hollywood successes, including "Gaslight" with Borgman and Boyer, and "Possessed" with Joan Crawford. Moira Shearer danced to his music in "The Story of Three Loves," in which he played "The Rhapsody of Rachmaninoff". In his recitals, critics have noted especially the powerful authority of Mr. Gimpel's playing, and his ability to evoke a mood of subtlety and warmth. Tickets are available at the University of Redlands Concert Series Office.



**JAKOB GIMPEL**, the noted pianist, will be heard in a concert at Redlands University Memorial Chapel on the evening of January 10.

## Entertains at Dinner Party

The home of Mrs. Gustav Berg at 454 Camino del Norte, was beautifully decorated when she entertained at cocktails and dinner on Wednesday evening and each of the guests received an individual gift.

Party guests were Messers and Mmes. Earle Arnold, Lee Havener, Clark McQuiston, G. Howard Wells, George Hares, Hector Woods, Arthur Brookland, Bruce Ferguson, Marmaduke Bleazard, Walter Loupe, Edward Maggard, Matt Felix, Martin Wade, Antony Plascjak, and Mmes. Henry Passow, Holly Ritchie, Ruth Davis.

**JOSEPH GAMBLE**, who planned to spend the Christmas holiday with his family in the Village, rushed to Stockton during the flood when the radio station which he owns there went off the air. He remained until all necessary repairs were made and the area no longer in danger.

**MR. AND MRS. B. F. Shearer** of Seattle are in the Village visiting with the former's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Shearer. The young Shearers will return to their home after the New Year.

## Around Town

with Hildy Crawford

The last few hours of 1955 are racing away... into the storehouse of bright memories... of many another New Year's Eve... and it is different this year...

There have been years that ended with no regrets... because the New Year could be nothing but an improvement and there have been others that we relinquished reluctantly... sorry to see them go... For Palm Springs 1955 has been a good year... and 1956 comes in with a smiling promise of surpassing anything we have seen before... The King is dead... Long live the King... little New 1956...

It was a regular homecoming at the Racquet Club this week... as those who missed Christmas here... arrived in time for New Years... John and Lisa Gallois, who have just returned, arrived with a party of guests for lunch... and they are very happy to be back...

Turned around and there were the Sol Lessers coming in the door... Jerry and Stewart Hopps are back too... They have taken a house and will be here for awhile...

Tom and Theodora Fleming, just in from La Jolla, joined Al and Nellis Hunt for luncheon... Beth Scott and her mother, Mrs. Albert Scott of San Diego, were lunching together...

Out in the pool... Ed McCoubrey was doing his constitutional... and I wanted to get someone to toss in a holly wreath for a lifesaver... Not that he needed it... but Christmas is over... and it's one way of getting rid of the decorations... Fortunately no one else thought it a good idea...

In the poolside luncheon crowd... who were basking in the sunshine... was Bill Holden... who stopped to talk with George Montgomery... There was a man with a fresh sunburn... and a little girl with a dog so small... it was really only a sample... Behind us, at the bar... someone ordered a "Mother Hubbard"... and I found out for you... it's concocted of DuBonnet and gin and ice...

Ned and Joann Crawford are down from Portland... and stayed at the Racquet Club while their house on Pinto Road was being opened... Ned is driving a white Lincoln Premier that is so long... he has to go around the corner in sections... Well, anyway, it won't go in their garage...

Joann was telling me that Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Coffey of Portland... have bought the house at 288 Vorenda Sur... which was owned by her mother, the late Hildamay Jensen... Coffey has Omaha Mutual Life Insurance Company agency in Portland... The Crawfords left the two children in Portland...

**Late Christmas at Yerkes' Home**  
Christmas came late at La Mirada for the Claud Yerkes family, with the arrival on Wednesday evening of Mrs. Yerkes' son Rodric Weichlein and his family.

Because of the illness of Mr. Yerkes, the usual Christmas gathering at Rod's home in Encino was postponed until Wednesday, in Palm Springs.

Rod, who planned and built the La Mirada Cottages for his mother, is now an executive of Blue Cross in Los Angeles. He and his family remained for over New Years.

## Luncheon Meeting on Tuesday

The next regular monthly meeting of the Palm Springs Jewish Women's Group will be held Tuesday at the Jewish Community Center, 332 West Alajo Road, on Tuesday noon.

A short business meeting will be conducted by Mrs. Max Grone, president. The remainder of the afternoon will be devoted to sociability, card playing, games and informal enjoyment. Program chairman Mrs. Saul Ruskin, in charge of arrangements, is planning a relaxed, pleasant social afternoon as a welcome relief from the hustle and bustle of the busy holiday season. Prizes will be given to the winner at each table and fun is assured everyone.

As customary, a delicious luncheon will be served at 12 noon, before the opening of the business session. Under the capable guidance of Mrs. John Chernus and Mrs. David Lager, luncheon co-chairmen, a committee is arranging a delectable repast.

All women, members and friends, are cordially invited to attend the meeting. A special welcome is extended to the new residents of the area. Further information may be obtained by contacting Mrs. Isadore Singer, hospitality chairman, phone 7841.

## Organizes New Chapter in Barstow

Mrs. Harry Brott, Past Regent of Cahulla Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution, acted as Organizing Regent for the new Barstow Chapter on Wednesday. The new Chapter has been named Indian Trails Chapter D. A. R., and it has fourteen members.

Honored guests at the organization meeting were State Regent Mrs. Ruth Apperson Rous and State Organizing Secretary Mrs. John Champieux. The latter presented the new Chapter with a flag.

Mrs. Brott, who served as Regent of Cahulla Chapter 1950-52, made her granddaughter Sandra Brott Campbell and her grandniece and namesake Edna Olcott Wilson members of the new Chapter. Mrs. Wilson is presently living in the Canal Zone, where her husband Capt. Maurice Wilson is teaching in a military school in Panama.

Mrs. Brott's Revolutionary ancestor is Private Isaac Olcott of Connecticut. The Olcott family were among the founders of Hartford.

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**EDNA KEEFE** spent four days in La Canada with her children and grandchildren. The annual Christmas gathering is an occasion that Edna says is a "must".

## Pitts Parents of Baby Boy

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Zachary Pitts at the Cedars of Lebanon hospital on Wednesday evening. The child weighed six pounds 12 ounces, and both he and his mother are doing fine.

**MR. AND MRS. ALVIN** Lake of Cathedral City entertained relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Neaves and children, Kathleen 12, and David 10, and Mrs. Lena Boer all of San Jose over Christmas. Mrs. Boer will remain for an indefinite stay with her daughter, Mrs. Lake, while the Neaves family returned home in San Jose Wednesday.

**MR. AND MRS. ROBERT** Brunson (she is Kathy Downs) of La Jolla and Hollywood arrived in Palm Springs Thursday to be here for most of the winter. The Brunsons, who are in the entertainment world will continue to work from here by commuting to Los Angeles in their own private plane.

**FRANCES REIS** entertained the personnel of her Little Folks' Cottage at a holiday dinner party at Zanziville.

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## Weekly Safety Slogan is Set

Safety slogan for use in the Palm Springs Unified School District next week will be "Always use cross-walks," George Bond, superintendent of transportation, announced today.

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## Historical Society Receives Gift of State Map for 1876

An old map of California and Nevada, dated 1876, has been presented to the Palm Springs Historical Society, Mrs. Frank Bennett, chairman, reported to directors this week.

The map was donated by Mrs. Bernard Ford. It will be framed and will be an important exhibit when the society's room in the branch library on South Palm Canyon Drive is opened in several weeks.

Of special interest to map viewers will be the omission of the names Palm Springs, Banning, and Beaumont, and instead the earlier names of these towns shown, Mrs. Bennett said.

Other gifts recently received by the Historical Society include 12 pictures from Jean Fulford Evans; copy of the Palm Springs Journal published April 16, 1926, by the school pupils; a picture of Frank Cuprien and an early mural paint-

ed by him from Mrs. J. W. Cameron.

**Whale Law**  
BOSTON — A new Massachusetts law directs the state's public works department to remove any whales that may get beached. The statute was adopted by the legislature after a whale was beached on the South Shore and no agency would take the responsibility of removing the huge carcass.

**No Record**  
STURGEON BAY, Wis., — There was a high wind at Sturgeon Bay one night recently, but no one will ever know how strong it was. The U.S. Weather Bureau's wind velocity machine was blown over and wrecked.

## Perfect Party Enjoyed at Indian Wells

Christmas Day at the Indian Wells Trailer Park between Palm Springs and Indio was a beautiful day and one that will probably be long remembered by the families attending. Skies were clear, the sun was warm, which enabled many to enjoy playing shuffleboard or to swim in the new large heated pool. Others took walks in the desert to look at the scenery.

Christmas afternoon, with all the families participating and contributing, a buffet turkey dinner with all the trimmings was served outside on the lawn adjacent to the recreation room.

The Indian Wells management made arrangements to show weekly sound movies, and shortly after dark on Christmas Day, two travel sound pictures were shown. This was also done out on the lawn because the recreation room would not have provided enough room for the large audience. One color film told the story of a fishing trip to South America for the voracious Piranha.

**AN OLD HAND**  
HARRISBURG, Ill. — James Bowman refuses to let advancing years slow him down. Although he will be 90 years old next July, Bowman recently helped his son pick and shuck corn on his farm.

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owned by Mary McDonald of Palm Springs. The children all received gifts from Santa Claus, and Desert then hosted them to ice cream and cookies.

## Pacific Northwest, East Well Represented at Hotels

Many residents of the Pacific Northwest and the East are vacationing in the Village this week, and are guests of leading Palm Springs hotels.

Among them are:  
**MEL LODGE** — Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bayle, sheriff of Tucson; M. and Mrs. Ted Huber, Fresno, executive for B. F. Goodrich; and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Resch, of Pasadena.

**TWIN VILLAS** — Mr. and Mrs. David Kirschner, Los Angeles businessman; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Arenz, a Portland Oregon contractor; Mr. and Mrs. Leo Knist, Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Kuckenberg, Portland, Oregon; Mr. and Mrs. Jay Carlisle, West Vancouver, British Columbia, here for four months, as is Mrs. Florence Rubin, Sherman Oaks; Mr. and Mrs. Herb Wald, Sherman Oaks, Mr. and Mrs. S. Van Elagrt, insurance of Los Angeles; Mrs. Gloria Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. David Bell, of Sherman Oaks.

**LA FONDA** — Mr. and Mrs. Jack Alschul, Los Angeles, drapery businessman; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Berch, Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. William J. Seibelman, Oakland; Mr. and Mrs. Ira Kavanau, New York City; Captain and Mrs. A. J. Baptiste, Air Force, of Waco, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Seibman, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. H. Black, Hollis, Long Island; Dr. and Mrs. J. V. White, and Mr. and Mrs. R. Coleman, both of

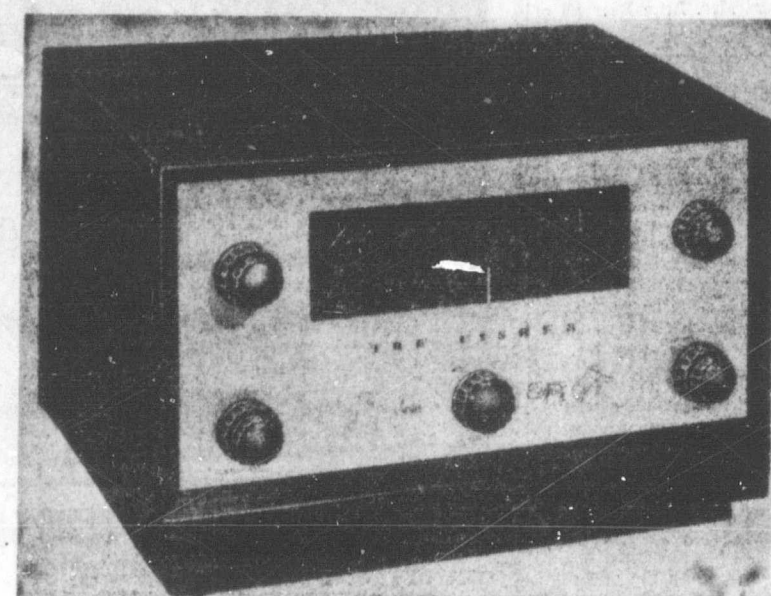
**FALL FOR HIM**  
ALBION, N. Y., — Few hunters can claim to have bagged a pheasant as easily as did Douglas Strickland. As Strickland raised his shotgun to fire at the bird it flew against a telephone wire and dropped to the ground. The hunter dashed over and captured the stunned pheasant before it could fly off.

**SMILE, PLEASE**  
SAMPSON AIR FORCE BASE, N. Y. — Nurse 2nd Lt. Peggy Yancey went to the Sampson hospital pharmacy to get a prescription filled and wound up by getting her picture taken. Hers was the 100,000th prescription filled by the 3650th USAF hospital since the Air Force's largest hospital began operations late in 1951.

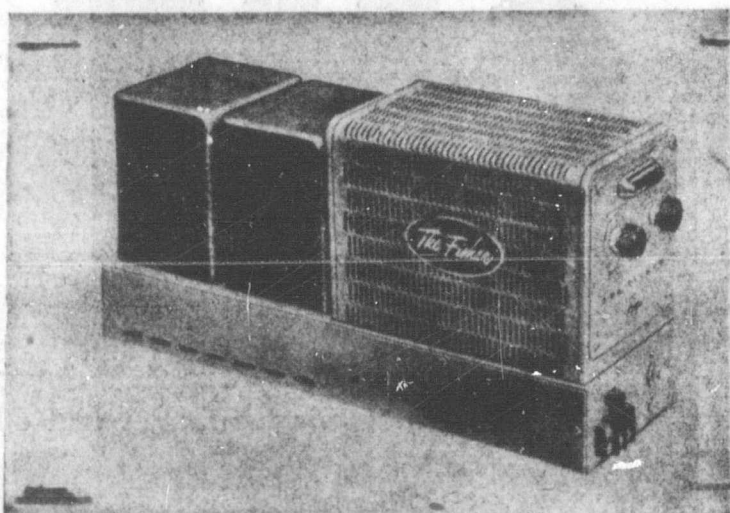
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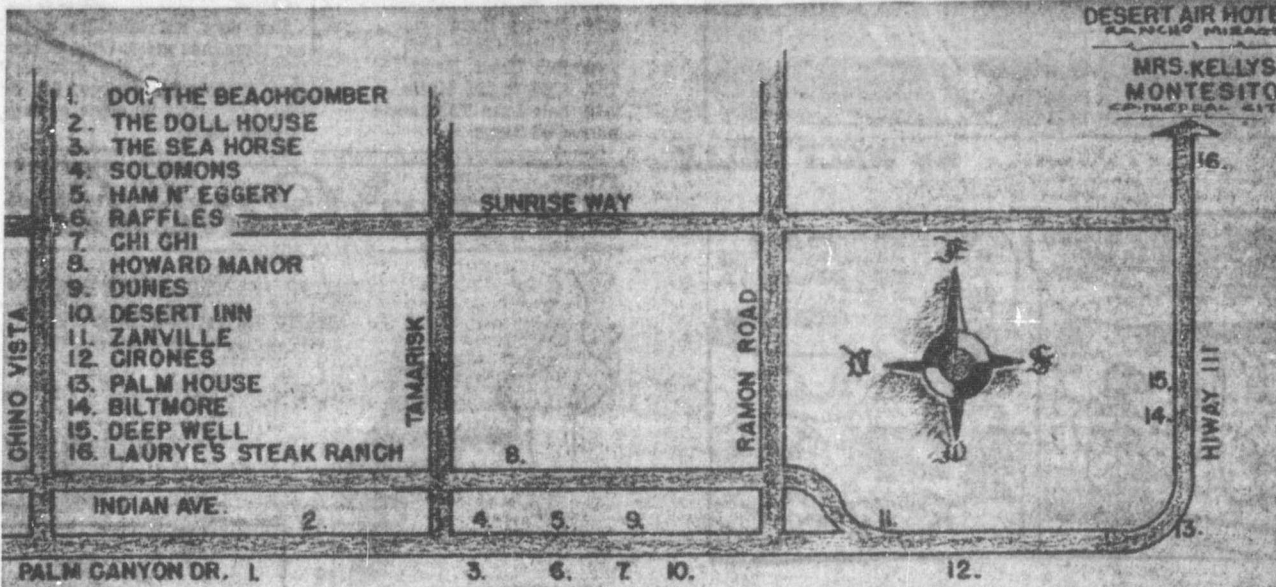


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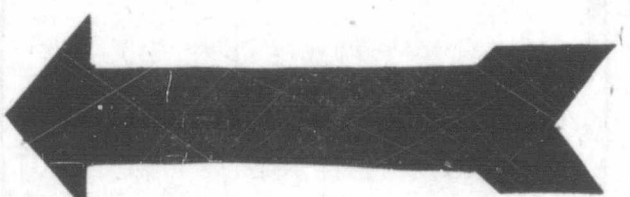
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## TODAY'S SPORT PARADE

By OSCAR FRALEY  
United Press Sports Writer  
Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.

NEW YORK (AP)—"Should auld acquaintance be forgot, and never brought to mind?"

Thus they'll sing out the old year tonight and ring in the new and for those in sports there will be a sob in the strains of Auld Lang Syne.

"Should auld acquaintance be forgot."

Like those you watched, and cheered and traveled with who played the final inning, fought the last round, drove the final lap or wrote the windup story in 1955.

"In days of auld lang syne."

TO BASEBALL MEN those were the days of such departed as Honus Wagner, the fabled Flying Dutchman; Cy Young, of the storied pitching arm; bushy-browed Clark Griffith, young Harry Agganis of the bright future and sudden end, Bill Dineen, Howie Fox or ironman Frankie Hayes.

Personally it was old Doc Weaver, running around in long-handed underwear and playing mountain music on an old Victrola as he carried out trainer's duties for the St. Louis Cardinals back there in your first World Series.

"For auld lang syne, my dear."

Boxing men's memories may go back, as the toast is made, to three former world champions, Ad Wolgast, Tommy Burns and Midgast. But to you the man you'll miss is the non-stop talker they called "Dumb Dan" Morgan.

A spunky, bright-eyed little octogenarian who spent a managerial fortune on the ponies, was Dumb Dan. But his eyes sparkled with the joy of living, he always had time to give you a yarn and in his 80s he still thought he could lick any fighter who ever walked.

"For auld lang syne."

THAT MEANS, to racing men, such of the lead foot breed as young Jerry Hoyt, handsome Manie Ayulo and slender Jack McGrath. Maybe you didn't get along with him, for he was brusque, curt and a supreme egotist, but you know you'll never see another man behind the wheel like short, sneering Bill Vukovich.

"We'll take a cup of kindness yet."

Like the many cups you had with such as Big Stan Baumgartner, with whom you covered many a Spring training and ball game; long-time friends like Hy Turkin and Arch Ward, and the round little man named Ham Fisher. The last time you cut it up with him was on a train to Rochester and he drew a special cartoon of "Little Max" for your little son.

A lot of them left this year. And you know that tonight when the words ring out it won't all be for the new. Much will be for the past.

"For the sake of auld lang syne."

## Favor East by 7 in Shrine Game

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—The incomparable Hopalong Cassidy and a star-studded cast of 47 other gridiron greats tangle here today in the 31st annual Shrine football classic with the East a seven-point favorite over the West.

This is the game in which the strong run so that the weak may walk, with the proceeds going to Shrine crippled children's hospitals.

The players have been in training here for the past two weeks and there hasn't been a major injury. The only man slightly indisposed is Don Schaefer, Notre Dame fullback, who has a touch of flu. "But I'm going to play if it is the last thing I do," says Schaefer. "I didn't come out here to spend this day in bed."

## Santee Fails in 4-Minute Try

CORAL GABLES, Fla. — Despite ideal conditions, Marine Lieutenant Wes Santee failed again Friday night in an attempt to crack the four-minute mile.

The ex-Kansas Flyer was timed at 4:06.3 in an exhibition race against Joe Lapiere of Boston, New England's champion miler, and Bill Adams of the University of Florida. Lapiere finished second, about 30 yards back of Santee. Lapiere set most of the early pace, giving way to Santee as they hit the three-quarter mark in 3:03.8. The long-striding Kansan sprinted in the last lap to pull away from Lapiere but still fell far short of his own American record of 4:00.5.

## Knox Doubtful Starter Monday

LOS ANGELES (AP)—UCLA coach Henry Red Sanders said today he feels at this point that his star passer, Ronnie Knox, will be unable to play against Michigan State in the Rose Bowl Monday.

The doctors know whether his leg bone is well knit, but they don't know if he can play," Sanders said. "At this point, I would have to say Knox will be unable to play."

## Indians Eliminated in Tourney

### San Dieguito Trims Local Five, 42 to 34

Sam Jones Named to All-Tourney Team at Banning

By DAVID FISHER

Forward Sam Jones, Palm Springs Indian basketball, bucketed 12 points and was named to the "all tourney team" after he and his team mates were being trounced by San Dieguito High 42-34 in a very dull contest, which wound up action in the Banning Invitational Christmas Tournament.

In other games San Jacinto downed the host Banning team to take the championship and Hemet defeated Beaumont to win the consolation division.

Pal Springs again showed that they are unable to score against a zone defense as they picked up only 20 points in the first three periods. This coupled with the ragged Indian shooting and passing, accounts for their bad showing in this game and most of the tournament.

PALM SPRINGS jumped off to a 10-8 first quarter lead on four field goals by Jones and one by Mickey Pellum. However, San Dieguito took over the top spot in the early minutes of the second quarter when their high scoring guard, Johnson, pushed in five in a row. That was it for Palm Springs as they never quite recovered from this barrage.

The Indians, after trailing 21-16 at the half, came back to score only one field goal in the third period. Compare this with the six baskets that San Dieguito made and you have the local warriors even farther behind.

In the fourth period, Palm Springs looked more like a basketball team. Their shooting was much better and they were finally able to score. But the Indian rally came too late and the resort hoopers were handed a 42-34 set-back.

HURTING PALM SPRINGS most was the fact that their usually high scoring center, Charles Jordan, was unable to rack up any two pointers. He was heavily guarded and not only had trouble scoring but couldn't get the offensive rebounds which his team needed to rack up points.

The only bright spot for the Indians, besides Jones, was Curtis Roberts who came up from the B. squad for the Tournament. He scored six points and was a real ball-hawk in leading Palm Springs in their last period drive.

NEXT ACTION for the local basketballers will be January sixth when they travel to San Jacinto for the opening of the Riverside County League seasons against San Jacinto.

(34) Palm Springs San Dieguito (42)  
(12) Jones F Holcombe (2)  
(13) Crawford F Gabriel (2)  
(14) Jordan O Wunderles (3)  
(15) Beck O Johnson (22)  
(16) Pellum O Hillman (11)  
(Scoring Subs—Palm Springs—Roberts (6), Bell (2). San Dieguito—Thorp (2).

## Olympic Stars Compete Today in New Orleans

NEW ORLEANS (AP)—It's Olympic year and some 59 star athletes from 15 colleges will have their eyes on Australia as they back into the blocks here Sunday in a six-event Sugar Bowl track meet being run over metric distances.

The 1500-meter run figures to be one of the outstanding battles with Sture Landquist, Oklahoma A&M star by way of Sweden, installed as the man to beat.

In the 400-meter event, an Aggie teammate of Landquist, J. W. Mashburn, rules as the favorite, although David Lean, the Tasmanian kangaroo from Michigan State, was looking fit in practice here and should give Mashburn rugged competition.

Records may get a wholesale revision, in fact, since the talent includes two defending Sugar Bowl champs, four NCAA winners, one Southeastern Conference champ, a British Empire and a Big Seven record holder.

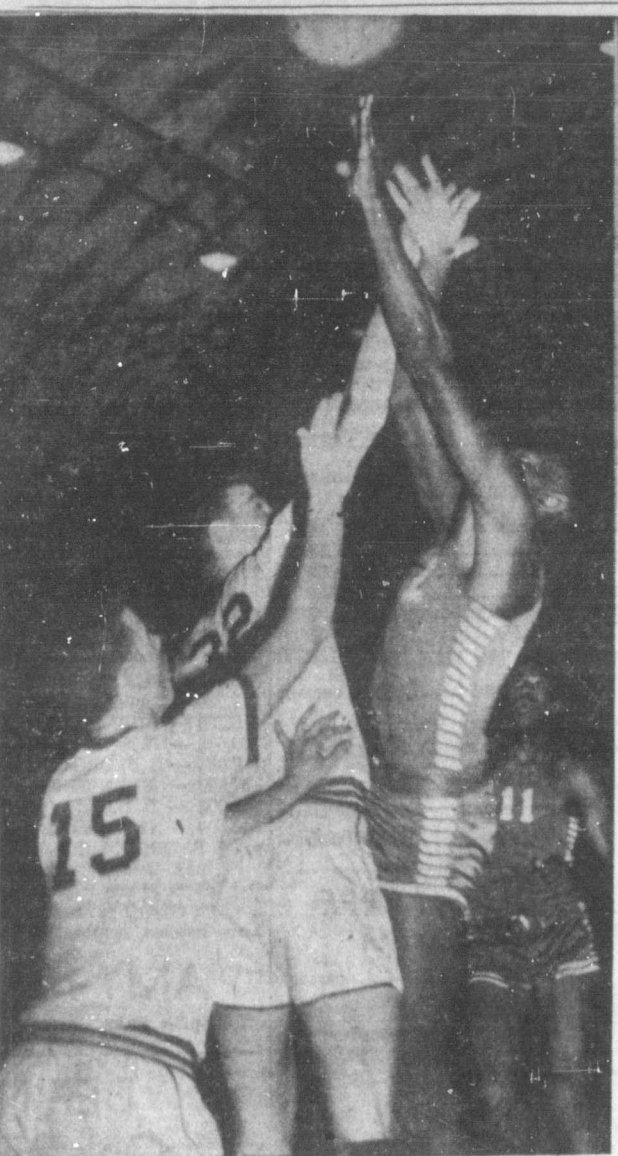
## Savitt, Seixas Meet in Finals

NEW ORLEANS (AP)—Husky Dick Savitt rode a powerful all-court game into the finals of the annual Sugar Bowl Tennis Tournament today against favored Vic Seixas, the nation's No. 1 amateur.

Savitt, a one-time Wimbledon champion who now plays tennis only on weekends, knocked off Bernard Bartzin, San Angelo, Tex., and Tom Brown Jr., San Francisco, seeded second and fourth respectively.

Seixas, the 32-year-old Philadelphia who gained the nation's top ranking when Tony Trabert moved into the professional game, gained the finals without the loss of a set.

## Eliminated in Tourney



REACHING FOR A REBOUND during last night Banning Christmas Tournament are Palm Springs Indians and San Dieguito players. O. B. Crawford, second from right, was later able to guide the ball to his team mate Charley Jordan, number 11. San Dieguito players are Hillman, 15, and Holcombe, 32. San Dieguito defeated the local boys, 42-34 to take third place in the three-day, 12-team match.

## MORRISON ON GOLF

### SNEAD IS A GOOD PUTTER



The only basis for rating Sam Snead a poor putter is the number of short putts he has missed at critical times. Otherwise his opponents such as Dai Rees will vouch for the Virginian being an exceptionally good putter.

By ALEX J. MORRISON

Author of "A New Way to Better Golf," Teacher of Champions

"AH JUST can't putt," observed the popular Virginian, Sam Snead. Sam was talking about his prospects before starting in the recent 1955 Ryder Cup matches.

His audience included many of the gallery eagerly awaiting his performances on the course, also several pros of both British and American teams competing in the international matches at the Thunderbird C. C. in Palm Springs.

The British pros, particularly Sam's opponent, Dai Rees, were not so eager for Snead to start swinging. When Sam's remark about his putting was relayed to Rees, the British team captain replied: "That's nonsense, he's a darn good putter."

THIS WAS proved by Sam's victory over Dai due largely to his superior performances on the greens. In their 36-hole singles match, Snead went to lunch five up. In the afternoon Rees shot five birdies on the first nine to cut down Sam's lead to a single hole. On the last nine the putting of Snead proved steadier, in fact brilliant as he birdied the 33rd and

35th holes to win the match.

In these 36 holes Sam shot nine birdies, also one bogie and one double bogie. Now anybody watching him take a six on Thunderbird's relatively easy ninth hole, a short par four, might consider him almost careless in the putting department.

It is true that Sam probably could have collected every title worth having in golf if he had simply holed short, easy putts at the right times. But the fact that he didn't simply makes it mainly a matter of timing. By the bad timing of his misses he has led most of his critics to overlook the numerous putts he has dropped in the clutches.

Another thing, Snead temperamentally is not always in harmony with the work to be done on the greens.

I believe that putting fails to afford him the kick he gets out of playing long irons and wood shots.

TRIBAL COUNCIL MEET

Tribal Council, Agua Caliente Band of Mission Indians, will hold its first meeting of the new year at Buffalo.

## Fast Games Mark Polo Play at SMC

San Bernardino Wins Over El Mirador in Last Chukka

San Bernardino Polo Club, winner of a match Thursday, maintained their championship form yesterday at Shadow Mountain Stables by drubbing the El Mirador team, also a Thursday winner, 11-7.

The two teams, one a makeshift group and the other a proven threesome with a nine-goal handicap, were tied 6-6 at the close of the third chukka.

But five goals by San Bernardino and one by El Mirador in the last chukka took the match out of the tense class in an exhibition of team play which could not be excelled.

THE LOSERS of Thursday's matches, pitted against each other yesterday, would have been relatively evenly matched had it not been for the inspired polo of Ted Pierce. Pierce scored seven goals to lead his Shadow Mountain Polo Club to a 12-3 victory over hapless Yuma Polo Club.

Pierce, who is match director for the Palm Springs Polo Association, has heretofore done a journeyman job on the field, but since the start of matches in November has not shown such brilliance.

Shadow Mountain was headed into the fourth chukka with five goals compared to the Yuma club's three when each member scored handsily, and Pierce slashed four different balls between the goal markers.

EACH MEMBER of the San Bernardino team won a trophy. The scoring individually was as follows:

San Bernardino—Blaine Stephenson, 2; Shorty Funkhouser, 4; and Monty Montgomery, 5.

El Mirador—Lisle Nixon, 3; Bill Allen, 3; and Guy Campbell, 1.

Shadow Mountain—Ted Pierce, 7; Lisle Nixon, 3; Lloyd Phillips, 2.

Yuma—Bill Mayberry, 2; Larry Funkhouser, 1; Bill Lyle, 0.

## SFU Dons Rack Up 36 Straight

The San Francisco Dons end a triumphant basketball tour tonight when they fly back to the West Coast and, fortified by some home cooking, they figure to set a major college record for consecutive victories January 28 by whipping California.

San Francisco, featuring All-America center Bill Russell and a strong supporting cast, climaxed its gruelling coast-to-coast journey Friday night by winning the Holiday Festival at Madison Square Garden. The Dons posted an easy, 70-33 victory over UCLA with Russell collecting the tournament's most valuable player award.

The Dons began the tour as the nation's No. 1 team and swept seven games and two tournament crowns to emerge from the welter of holiday competition with added stature and a 36-game winning streak.

Lombardi Signs to Coach Giant Grids

NEW YORK (AP)—Vince Lombardi, credited with building the offensive power of the New York football Giants, has signed a two-year contract to continue as backfield coach under Jim Lee Howell. Lombardi played collegiate ball at Fordham and served as backfield coach under Col. Red Blaik at West Point for several seasons.

## Pete Wojey Moves to Tigers from Bums

DETROIT (AP)—The Detroit Tigers Friday acquired right handed pitcher Pete Wojey, 33, from the Brooklyn Dodgers in exchange for pitcher Leo Cristante and an undisclosed amount of cash. Wojey had a 12-6 won and lost record at Montreal last season while Cristante played most of the year at Buffalo.

# SPORTS in the SUN



CHECKING THE NEW ARRIVALS yesterday for polo today and tomorrow were Charlene McKinney and Guy Campbell. Campbell brought the ponies from his Hemet horse ranch as mounts for the polo players who will perform each weekend through the season, except rodeo weekend, at the Polo Grounds. The horses are Nan, Bunny, Rol Dick, Simile, Brownie and Gino.

## Erratic Year for Football Teams on West Coast

(By United Press)

It was an up and down year for football on the West Coast.

The 1955 year started off with Ohio State beating Southern California in the Rose Bowl and the East beating the West in the Shrine classic. Actually these games were the carry-over from 1954.

But in 1955's regular season, things were looking up. The Pacific Coast Conference displayed some of its best balance in the post-World War II years.

In seven games with the Big Ten, the PCC won four, lost three. On top of that, Stanford, an also-ran in the West, handed the Big Ten Champion, Ohio State, a 6-0 licking, and Southern California really clobbered favored Notre Dame.

THE PACIFIC COAST Conference title went to UCLA, which will play Michigan State in the Rose Bowl Monday.

Among the smaller schools, the best teams were put out by Whitworth of Spokane, Wash., and Fresno State.

The big names in western football were Jon Arnett of Southern California; Bill Tarr of Stanford; and Sam Brown of UCLA—all backs.

The West Coast coach of the year turned out to be Jim Lounsberry of Whitworth—where he has hung up 18 victories in a row.

On the business side of the game, every team in the Pacific Coast Conference was fined for some type of illegal proselyting. UCLA, as befits a champion, topped all the others with a total of \$3200 in fines. Oregon State, which was runner up for the title, was second with \$2650.

THE ONLY PCC COACH to be fired was Al Kircher of Washington State.

This was a year in which the students took to hanging coaches in effigy and at one time or another Lynn Pappy Waldorf of California, Jess Hill of Southern California, John Cherberg of Washington, Kircher at Washington State and Len Casanova of Oregon felt the mythical rope around their necks. Nobody, it seemed, was happy. At San Jose State the students even went so far as to hang head Coach Bob Bronson's wife in effigy.

In the professional ranks, Los Angeles had a champion and San Francisco a tail-end. The Rams hired a new coach, Sid Gillman of Cincinnati and he took the club to a divisional title. The Forty Niners fired Buck Shaw and hired Red Strader in his place and Strader's club finished next to last. Strader was fired for his efforts.

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## Capacity Crowds Expected to Watch Football Fade Out

By JOE SARGIS

United Press Sports Writer

The 11-game program of holiday weekend football begins today with Howard Hopalong Cassidy of Ohio State leading the East against the West in the 31st Shrine Classic at San Francisco.

The East—West contest, one of the best of the post-season games because its profits benefit crippled children, will be played before a capacity crowd of 62,000. It will be telecast and broadcast.

Cassidy, All-America halfback from Ohio State's Big Ten champions, and his team mates are seven-point choices. Off past records, this is good news for the West because the favorite seldom wins in this game.

In today's three other games, Auburn is favored over Vanderbilt by six points in the Gator Bowl at Jacksonville, Fla.; the South is favored over the North by six in the Blue—Gray game at Montgomery, Ala., and the Border Conference All-Stars are favored over the Skyline Conference All-Stars in the Salad Bowl at Phoenix, Ariz.

The "big" bowlers will be staged Monday with 100,000 scheduled to watch UCLA tackle Michigan State Calif.; 82,985 slated to watch the Pittsburgh—Georgia Tech Sugar Bowl clash at New Orleans; 76,062 scheduled to see the Oklahoma-Maryland battle in Miami's Orange Bowl; and 75,504 are set to watch the Texas Christian-Mississippi tussle in the Cotton Bowl at Dallas.

Michigan State is favored by six, Georgia Tech by six, Oklahoma by seven and Texas Christian by seven.

Texas Tech plays Wyoming in the Sun Bowl at El Paso, Tex.; Tennessee A&I meets Prairie View Tex. in the Prairie View Bowl at Houston, Tex.; and Juniata Pa. has a night date with Missouri Valley in the Tangerine Bowl at Orlando, Fla., in the other Monday games.

## Tickets for All-Pro Game Available from Local JC

Palm Springs football fans who plan to attend the All Pro Game on January 15 were invited today to join their friends and purchase tickets from the local Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Ed Meyerson, who chairmaned the Village drive to obtain funds to aid the Olympic financing, said that the Jaycees will not realize any benefit from the local sale, but that it is participating because part of the proceeds will go toward sending the United States Olympic team to Australia.

All tickets will be in a group and will provide excellent seats, Meyerson said. If enough people are interested in attending, arrangements will be made to provide a bus for transportation.

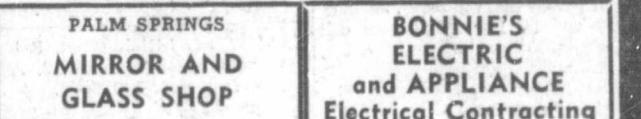
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## Traffic Judge is Favored Today

ARCADIA (AP)—Traffic Judge, winner of five stakes this year, headed a field of 17-three-year-olds in today's \$25,000 Malibu Sequet Stakes at Santa Anita Park.

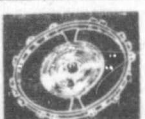
The seven-furlong Malibu Sequet topped a double stakes program that included the \$25,000-added California Breeders' Trial, which drew 11 two-year-olds.

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## SAM SEZ:

IT'S TIME FOR New Year's resolutions. A dead fish can float  
with the current, but it takes a live one to swim up the  
current, and who wants to be dead? Resolutions help some  
but without the Divine intervention many habits cannot  
be broken by man. If the evil desire is taken away you are  
then a free man. Divine assistance comes when man be-  
gins to co-operate with the Divine order. What is this order?  
Two Biblical verses set it forth without further exegesis:  
"The whole duty of man is the fear (respect) God and  
obey His Commandments" (the moral laws); and "The  
end of man is to glorify God and enjoy Him forever."  
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The contest is being sponsored by the Cathedral City Area Business Association.

A HOST OF PRIZES are currently being gathered by the association, and will include gifts for the new baby and its parents.

Rules of the contest, as announced by the association are: The baby and its parents must be residents of the area prior to December 31, 1955, and receive mail at the local post offices. The contest is open to residents of Tramview, Eagle Canyon, Sunair, Palm Springs Heights, Cathedral City, to and including the Thunderbird Country Club. Parents must obtain a report from the hospital or doctor attesting to the time of arrival, names of parents, address and place of birth of the child.

This report must be turned in to

Welcomes Start Work on New Home Sites

THOUSAND PALMS — Work was started this week on the streets and water lines at the Welcome homestead site here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Welcome are early pioneers in this community, having arrived here in 1923.

Having been absent from this area for several years, the Welcomes returned to the Valley and are developing their real estate holdings into private home-sites.

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 west of Thunderbird C.C.

Orvil Zappe, president of the Cathedral City Area Business Association, at the Citizens Bank, Cathedral City, no later than 3 p.m. January 11, 1956. Any late reports turned in will be disqualified. Judging of the first baby born in 1956 will be determined by the office's of the association and their decision will be final.

All prizes and gifts will be awarded by the Business Association at their meeting at noon on January 12. A complete list of prizes will be listed next week on this page of your newspaper.

SOME OF THE PRIZES already subscribed, and by whom, include: A savings account for the baby from Citizens National Trust and Savings Bank, Cathedral City Branch.

Parents of the baby will receive a free subscription to the daily Desert Sun for one year, delivered to their door.

A pair of Baby Deer Shoes for the new baby from Young's Shoe Mart, Cathedral City.

A \$5 merchandise order for the baby or parents from Scotts Desert Wear, Cathedral City.

One case of baby food from Cathedral City Grocery, Cathedral City.

A \$5 merchandise order for the mother from Desert Aire Dress shop, Cathedral City.

The association has asked that if any merchant whom they have not been able to contact, would like to give a gift, contact either Ivan Sharp, secretary of the association at 8-4355, or the association president Orvil Zappe at 8-3444.

## Thousand Palms By IZETTA HUNT

Mrs. Sarah Abernathy of Riverside, a teacher at the California School for the Deaf, visited with Mrs. Charles Wallace Wednesday.

Mrs. George Wildes entertained her three sisters from Los Angeles in her home here this week.

Mrs. Edna Stearns of Laguna Beach, and son, David, who just arrived from Detroit, were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Welcome, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Golsof of Winnipeg, Canada, are expected guests of Mr. and Mrs. Max Cook. Mrs. Golsof is a sister of Mrs. Cook.

Dr. and Mrs. Maurice Smith are back at their home in the Date Garden for a few days. Also, Mr. Garden and Mrs. Eugene Waldeck are at their home in the Garden.

## Three Juveniles Given Probation

DESERT HOT SPRINGS—Three local juveniles were returned to the custody of their parents yesterday, following their confession of perpetrating a burglary at the local school and three acts of malicious mischief.

Banning sheriff's officers said the lads, two 12 and one 13 years of age, stole basketballs and ice cream from the school estimated at \$10.92 in value.

Two of the youths also admitted they were involved in the following acts of vandalism: shooting out lights at the Desert Hot Springs Baptist church with BB guns, breaking nine windows at

## Desert Empire

Fred C. Weigel

The Desert Sun 5005

## Two Rings Valued at \$3,750 Stolen

PALM DESERT—Two diamond rings valued at \$3750 were reported missing from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rollins, 46-191 Joshua Tree Road, and according to Captain Sam Hoffman of the Indio Sheriff's substation, no evidence was present as to how the home was entered.

One ring, having a 150-point center diamond with 16 smaller diamonds set in platinum is valued at \$3050. The second, a 60-point center diamond with 20 side diamonds mounted in platinum, is valued at \$700.

The home of Ed Markley, and knocking down 80 feet of curbs with a caterpillar grader at the Wardman Heights Subdivision.

The basketballs were recovered.

## Area Building Totals \$38,354

CATHEDRAL CITY — Building permits within the Desert Empire totaled \$38,354 the past week, with five permits being issued in this community and two in the Thunderbird Country Club areas.

Largest amount went to Riley Egbert of Cathedral City, whose permit for a garage and home amounted to \$10,000 while the others included:

R. L. Smith, Cathedral City, dwelling and carport, \$7,277; G. C. Huxsol, Cathedral City, dwelling and carport, \$7,277; Mary D. Evans Thunderbird Country Club, swimming pool, \$4,000; Larry Norton, Cathedral City, swimming pool, \$4,000; Paul Prom, Thunderbird Country Club, enclosure garage, add

## Cat, Missing for 2 Weeks, Found

—THOUSAND PALMS  
 A beautiful yellow persian cat, lost by traveler who searched for two weeks, was found here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams of Modesto, stopped in Thousand palms while on their way to Indio. While here, the cat got out of the trailer, and was left behind. The Williams went on to Indio, where they missed the cat for the first time. They began their two weeks search.

Finally, returning to Thousand Palms, they asked Terry Hunt if he had seen the pet, and were given an affirmative answer. The cat was returned to the Williams, and Terry Hunt was given a reward.

carport, \$2,800; Eric Gronous, Cathedral City, swimming pool, \$3,000.

## Legal Notices

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 PALM SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA  
 Saturday, December 31, 1955

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE  
 NO. INDIO 119

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY AT PRIVATE SALE

In the Matter of the Estate of DONALD E. GRAHAM, Deceased.  
 Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, as Executor of the estate of Donald E. Graham, Deceased, will sell at private sale to the highest and best bidder upon the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on January 11, 1956, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A.M. or thereafter within the time allowed by law, at the office of the BANK OF AMERICA NATIONAL TRUST AND SAVINGS ASSOCIATION, No. 1 East State Street, Redlands, California, all right, title, interest and estate of said Donald E. Graham, deceased, at the time of his death, and all right, title and interest that said estate has acquired, by operation of law or otherwise, other than or in addition to that of said Donald E. Graham at the time of his death, in and to the real property described as follows:

In the City of Palm Springs, Citrus Pest Control District No. 2, County of Riverside, State of California, described as: Lot 12 of DEEP WELL RANCH ESTATES UNIT NO. 1, as shown by Map on file in Book 24, Page 87 of

Maps, records of Riverside County, California.

Bids or offers are invited for said property and must be in writing and will be received at the office of BANK OF AMERICA NATIONAL TRUST AND SAVINGS ASSOCIATION, Trust Department, No. 1, East State Street, Redlands, California, or may be filed with the Clerk of said Superior Court or delivered to the said Bank of America National Trust and Savings Association, Trust Department, No. 1 East State Street, Redlands, California, personally, at any time after first publication of this notice and before making said sale. Said sale will be made upon the following terms:

Sale will be made for cash, lawful money of the United States, payable upon confirmation of sale by said Superior Court and the delivery of a conveyance.

Taxes to be pro-rated to close of escrow, buyers and seller to pay usual escrow expenses, and seller to furnish policy of title insurance.

Dated: November 18, 1955.

BANK OF AMERICA NATIONAL TRUST AND SAVINGS ASSOCIATION

By A. P. WINCHESTER, Executor of the last Will of Donald E. Graham, Deceased.

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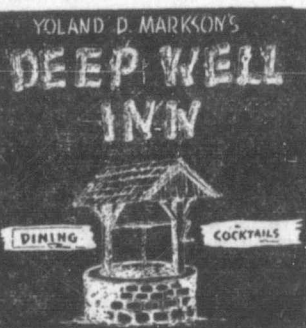
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